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TAFT ADVISES TARIFF CHANGE IN MESSAGE

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE AT A GLANCE

President William H. Taft's opinions and recommendations upon matters of state, as contained in his annual message to Congress today, may be briefly summarized as follows:

1. Revise the tariff, not in its entirety, but schedule by schedule, as it be necessary, under the guidance of the Tariff Commission. Complete revision causes paralysis of business.
2. The activities of the government, in the interest of the people, for the time being, should be directed toward the economy of administration.
3. Develop our foreign trade, especially through the establishment of a great merchant marine and a powerful naval reserve. Fortify the Panama Canal.
4. Let alone existing laws for the restraint of corporation abuses until they have had a fair test.
5. Conserve and improve our agricultural lands.
6. Build up our home industries.
7. Strengthen the confidence of capital in domestic investment.
8. More officers for a "skeleton" army, an adequate naval program, with the consolidation of navy yards for the best interest of the whole nation, disregarding mere local pride or pecuniary interests.
9. Extend the parcels post system and the civil service system, especially to the diplomatic field.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Demanding the restoration of the American flag to its ancient place upon the seas, President William H. Taft, in his annual message delivered to Congress to-day, urged strongly that legislation be enacted to establish a ship subsidy or otherwise guarantee the establishment of the rapid development of merchant marine in this country.

Aside from eager appeals for the enlargement of the regular army, reconstruction of American court procedure and the prohibition of traffic through the Panama canal of ships owned by interstate railroads, the message might be summed up in the following trinity:

National economy.

The enlargement of opportunities for foreign trade.

The strengthening of confidence of capital in domestic investment.

The entire message is a "safe and sane" document, strong in its conservatism.

URGES GREAT MERCANTILE MARINE SERVICE.

One of the President's most urgent recommendations is in favor of legislation for the institution of a mercantile marine service and possibilities for its expansion before the Panama canal is finished, and one paragraph of the speech in this connection reads:

"Unless prompt action be taken, the completion of the Panama canal will find this is the only great commercial nation unable to avail in internal local maritime business of this great contribution to the means of the world's commercial intercourse. Where could we find in case of war the transports and subsidiary vessels without which a naval fleet is arms without a body? For many reasons I cannot urge too strongly upon this Congress the passage of a measure by mail subsidy or other intervention to develop the American marine."

Next in the rank of importance and urged only a little less strongly than the plea for a merchant marine is the demand that the trained fighting force of the United States be increased by laws augumenting the number of commissioned officers and through closer co-operation between the National Guards of the various States and the regular standing army.

Must Fortify Panama Canal.

"I recommend," said Mr. Taft, "that Congress appoint a commission as soon as mine as early as practicable a comprehensive policy for the organization, mobilization and administration of the regular army, the organized militia and the volunteer forces in the event of war."

The President urges the fortification of the Panama canal, declaring that America is building it and that it is fitting that America should protect it. Mr. Taft is anxious that the canal become a paying enterprise, suggesting that the toll of one dollar per net ton be charged ships passing through. However, he adds that this is only tentative. He says that a rate should be established which would return a fair profit upon the investment of $400,000,000.

President Taft takes a strong stand in the matter of disposing of public lands bearing coal, urging that the government not sell these valuable mineral tracts, but lease portions of the public domain containing 1,000,000,000,000 tons of coal. Mr. Taft declares in favor of making 2,500 acres the maximum. He frankly admits that Secretary Ballinger of the Interior Department opposes this plan; having set forth his objections in his annual report.

Points to His Economies.

The President believes that Congress ought to prohibit interstate commerce railroads from owning or controlling ships doing a business through the canal, such a course being urged to save the people of the United States the benefit of legitimate competition. This enactment must come sooner or later, the President points out.

The President points with pride to the economics of his administration, reminding Congress of the desirability of this being imitated. He points out that nearly half a million was saved in one bureau and over a quarter of a million in another, in this same connection he deplores the abuse of the postal franking privilege, which is annually costing the country millions, and demands that Congress take steps to check it.

The President showed his keen interest in the extension of American enterprises by asking legislation enabling Americans to establish banks in foreign countries and branches of existing banks in the United States.

Declaring that the poor man has no show in the courts against a rich opponent, Mr. Taft strongly urges changes in American court procedure, especially in the appellate branches, modeled after the English system.

Other recommendations and demands include the following:

Save the Public Domain.

For broader civil service tests for consular officers; the abolition of "pork barrel" methods in appropriating money for the construction of public buildings and the institution of a commission to investigate the necessity of buildings and report to Congress; the abolition of superfluous customs officials and stricter oh vision to detect smuggling; increase of tariff commission from three members to five; a Federal incorporation act, that Congress honor Commander Peary for discovering the North Pole; conservation laws to save forests from national and human ravages; prompt payment of all claims against the United States; increase in salaries to Supreme Court judges; the regulation of injunctions; revision in second class mail regulations; adoption of permanent annual naval appropriations; immediate institution of parcels post; laws to prevent census frauds; steps to aid the proposed negro exposition to celebrate fifty years of freedom; bureau to control national parks; wider powers for the Interstate Commerce Commission.

President Taft defends the Payne-Aldrich tariff, but declares that he will likely send a message to the next Congress asking further revision.

Two members of the Cabinet are congratulated upon their services—Postmaster-General Hitchcock and Attorney-General Wickersham. Especial mention is made of the patriotic services of Senator Root before The Hague Tribunal when he argued the Newfoundland fisheries case.

President Taft's message in detail is printed on page 7.

CATARRH—FATHER JOHN'S Medicine heals and soothes.

Zella Gallant, Witness, With Detective Byrnes

Snapshot to-day when girl arrived in Boston with official of the State police. Miss Gallant is the interpreter who is alleged to have translated Hattie Le Blanc's statement to the police.

POLICE BULLET HALTS BURGLAR

MIDDLEBORO, Dec. 6.—A mysterious man, who is now lying in the Brockton Hospital with a bad bullet wound in the thigh, was shot down on Centre street before daylight by Night Officer Harry Snow, who accuses him of breaking into four stores and a street railway waiting room. The man is a prisoner at the hospital under a burglary charge. He refuses to give his name or tell where he lives. He is well dressed and good looking.

The police think he is about thirty-five years old. He is six feet in height and light complexioned. It is believed here that he is a professional burglar, for a jimmy and a jark lantern were found in his pockets when he was searched.

Trapped in Store.

It was 4:50 a. m. when Night officer Snow, who was patrolling his beat, heard a noise in the waiting room conducted by John Walsh. The policeman started to go around to the rear of the block and as he passed the store of the Middleboro Clothing Company he noticed that the night light within had been extinguished. At the rear of the block he saw that both rear windows in Vernon Carlton's jewelry store were open. The waiting room window was also open, and as the policeman flashed his light he heard a noise within.

"Come out or I'll shoot," he cried. There was no answer, but he heard someone moving within. The officer dred two shots into the waiting room and the next moment there was a scramble and the sound of breaking glass. Officer Snow ran around to the front of the building in time to see a man, who had broken through the glass in the front door, run up the street.

Dropped With Bullet.

The policeman shouted for the fugitive to stop, but he only ran the faster. The policeman opened fire again and the second shot hit the man. He went down on the sidewalk in a heap. He was groaning when Night Officer Snow beat over him.

"Where are you hit?" asked the policeman.

"In the leg," said the man, and that was about all the information that could be gotten out of him. He left a trail of blood behind him as the officer helped him to J. J. Sullivan's newsstand, where he summoned Dr. A. V. Sullivan. The wounded man was taken to the hospital.

Fifteen dollars in cash was missing from E. N. Dupont's shoe store. A suit case, a leather travelling bag, fifty neckties and two overcoats valued at $30 each were the loot obtained in the clothing store, and it was all found later where it had been hidden at the Town Hall a quarter of a mile away.

Pieces of jewelry, valued at $20 were missing from the jewelry store. In the waiting room $5 had been taken from one drawer but there was $50 left untouched in another. The burglar may not have had time to get that far in his search. There was about $100 in the grocery store safe but there the burglar fooled himself. The safe door is usually left unlocked, it is said, and the burglar, not knowing that, began to ranmer with the combination. The result was that he unintentionally jammed the bolts and locked the safe.

HARRIS SELLS DOVES TO-DAY

John P. Harris, the theatrical man, declared to-day that he still controlled a majority interest in the Doves and that he would be elected president of the reorganized Boston National League team at the adjourned annual meeting late to-day. This notwithstanding the positive statement of Boston banking interests that control of the club had been bought on behalf of capitalists in this city.

Mr. Harris did admit that there were strong minority interests and that they were represented by W. Hepburn Russell, himself the chief of the so-called minority holders. Mr. Russell is a prominent New York lawyer, eminent in the councils of Tammany Hall, and has not been known heretofore to have baseball interests. His appearance in the ranks of the Doves' owners made the mystery of the reorganization of the National League tall enders. Mr. Harris said that he held stock formerly owned by Fred Tenney and others.

However, the meeting which was to have been held this morning was unexpectedly postponed and is evening developments were promised later. Mr. Harris himself made this statement:

"In order that all the stockholders may be represented, the annual meeting has been postponed with this afternoon. The board has been determined upon however, and I am now in position to announce that the members will be myself, a Mr. Russell son, my personal counsel, and a person Russell. Mr. Russell is the largest holder of stock among the minority stockholders. I propose to do with the club as with my theatrical holdings, to give the minority representation on the board.

"The officers will be: Myself as president; John S. C. Dovey, as treasurer, and Peter Kelly will remain in his present position as secretary. Mr. Lake is already under contract as manager for 1911.

"Immediately after the annual meeting we will proceed with the business of the club, and from time to time as news comes up the public will be informed through the newspapers."

James J. Phelan, of the banking firm of Hornblower & Weeks, has purchased, acting as an agent, a majority of the stock of the club.

In his office at No. 99 Congress street, Mr. Phelan gave positive assurance that he had purchased the stock, but refused to divulge the name of the purchasers on the ground that he was acting solely as an agent, and therefore was not authorized to give out any names.

"I have bought the Boston National Baseball Club," he said, "acting as an agent for Boston parties. I have not secured the property for my own personal investment. The men who bought the club through me are all Boston men.

"To show that I am entirely a disinterested party except that the deal was made through me as an agent, I am going to Chicago this afternoon. It is not for me to say who the new are. I am in a similar position to a lawyer and his client.

"I have just sold the club?" Mr. Harris was asked.

"The club is still in my hands and everything will be made known after the meeting is announced, and with his report came a stand still.

"Mr. Phelan says that he has purchased the stock for Boston men.

"I do not know Mr. Phelan, and never saw the gentleman. I will not deny that several offers have been made for the property, but I still repeat that the property is not sold. I had several offers last week, but the club is still on my hands."

STARTLING TESTIMONY IN LE BLANC TRIAL

One of the biggest surprises of the trial of Hattie Le Blanc on the charge of having murdered Clarence F. Glover came today, when William H. McCall, superintendent of the Glover laundry, testified that the woman's comb found in the laundry the next day after the tragedy, or one exactly like it, was that of Mrs. Lillian F. Glover.

HATTIE LE BLANC'S COMB, SAID MRS. GLOVER.

The comb was introduced in the case by the State and Mrs. Glover testified that it belonged to Hattie Le Blanc. McCall swore that he often visited the Glover home and that he saw the comb in position of "one lost like it." He said that it was being worn by a woman when he saw it.

"Who was wearing it?" Lawyer Melvin M. Johnson asked.

"Mrs. Glover," replied the witness.

Earlier in his testimony, when he was being examined by Assistant District Attorney Wise, McCall had astonished the prosecution by declaring flatly that two handkerchiefs to the case, one of which Mrs. Glover testified was Hattie Le Blanc's, were not the handkerchiefs that he picked up to the laundry and handed over to the police.

Seymour's shoes, the only one of Clarence's five brothers who was remembered in his will, was called to the witness stand. He testified that he had barred his brother, Arthur, out of the laundry the next day after the murder. His testimony went to show that he and his four brothers are not on friendly terms.

Missing Witness Arrives.

Miss Zella A. Gallant, the missing witness for the State was brought to Boston to-day by Detective Charles E. Hynes from her home in Prince Edward Island, and to the East Cambridge court.

Miss Gallant was a nurse in the Wellington hospital at the time when Hattie Le Blanc was arrested for the murder of Glover. She was called in to act as interpreter by the police on the night they questioned Hattie. Through this witness the State hoped they could get into the case the entire examination made by the police of the girl prisoner.

In her replies to the police Hattie Le Blanc denied that she shot Glover, declaring that she had no weapon in the office and that a comb and pin shown to her were hers and that she had been in the laundry with Glover on the night he was slain.

Miss Gallant and Byrnes reached the North Station at 10:28, their train being two and a half hours late. They boarded in the station. They were met by a man and woman. They went to East Cambridge.

Court opened promptly at 9 o'clock Hattie had been brought over from the jail in quarter of the hour. She entered the court room as usual and sat on the railing. She was followed by the court lawyers and the jury.

Lieut. P. Callahan was the first witness called. He testified that he lived in Wallpaper and was in the automobile business. He was questioned by Mr. Wise:

Q. Where were you on the night of November 20? A. At the corner of Moody and Cresent streets.

Q. Did you know Mr. Glover? A. I did.

Q. Do you see him that night? A. Yes, he passed me in his auto about 8 o'clock.

Q. Anyone with him? A. No.

Q. What lights were lighted? A. The side lights and the head lights.

Q. Where did you go then? A. I went further down Moody towards Spence street to Calnon's drug store.

Q. Did you see Mr. Glover again? A. Yes, about fifteen minutes after the first time.

Q. Where were you when you saw him the second time? A. In front of Calnon's drug store on Moody street.

Q. Where was Mr. Glover when you saw him the second time? A. In the same place. He was going up Moody street toward Spence street.

Q. Did the car turn into Spence street? A. I think so.

Q. Did you see the car again that evening? A. Yes, on Spence street facing Moody, but I wasn't certain that it was his car.

The next witness was Herbert L. Wiley, manager of the Edison Electric Company of Wellington. He was examined by Mr. Wise:

Q. Where were you on Saturday evening, November 20, 1909? A. At 10 o'clock I was in Waltham. I came out on the 9:25 on the 9:30 train from Boston.

Q. Did you meet Inspector McKenna that night? A. Yes, about 10:30 I met him on Moody street. I was in the drug store at the time.

Full details of the Le Blanc trial will be found on Page 6.

BOSTON TO GET BIG SNOWFALL

Before a late hour to-night several inches of snow will have fallen in Boston.

This was the message given to the newspapers to-day by the Weather Man in the Bureau of the Federal Building.

King Winter was on the job from Washington to the Canadian Northwest down to Delaware Breakwater. From Northfield, Vt., clear away into the Lone Star State. The blizzard was observable in New York for hours before it poked its nose into Boston at the Municipal Lodging House there 600 persons were cared for, a record for the year. Thirty were women and ten children of tender ages, found wandering in the storm.

"Tell Boston," they said at the Weather Bureau, "to prepare for one of the biggest first storms we have had for years."

The snow was general all through southern New England and as far south as Washington. Below that city certain sections of the Southwest were digging themselves out of a storm that had lasted from twelve to twenty-four hours. In these sections the reports say the storm has been followed by bitter cold. Much suffering is expected from places unaccustomed to gentle Winter.

Snowstorm is General.

At 10 o'clock to-day Washington reported a foot of snow. The storm was still in progress there.

South from Washington toward Hatteras telegraphic reports were received. To-day snow is general as far west as Pittsburg. In the remote Northwest colder weather is reported. As far South as tropical Texas the wires tell of freezing weather.

Early to-day the mercury in Boston thermometers stood at 28 above zero. The coldest New England weather was reported as usual by Northfield, Vermont, where the figure was 10 below. The warmest place in New England was Nantucket, 52 above. It was 20 below at Wiuipeg, Manitoba, and 58 above at Hatteras.

The storm signals hoisted yesterday all along the Atlantic coast from Boston down to Hatteras were up to-day from Boston as far as Delaware Breakwater. They admonished the salloraan to be on his guard against high winds.

The Storm in New York.

At 9 o'clock this morning four inches of snow had added every discomfort to New York a great white way. The thermometer stood at 26 degrees above zero.

Baltimore, which some New Englanders look upon as a Winter resort, is buried under ten inches of snow. The Baltimore storm set in yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock. It continued for 24 hours. Then came a cold wave.

Down the mountain and lowland districts of the Central Kentucky hard coasting ridges, but still had four holes left in which to lodge the ball before the game was finally was declared out of the race.

All up in the thirteen mountain towns had rained 7.56 inches since this time. The former record was 7.39 inches and two days

JACK JOHNSON IS DINNER HOST TO-DAY TO B. T. WASHINGTON.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Booker T. Washington had intended to take dinner with Jack Johnson at the pugilist's home last night, but at the last minute he had to send regrets on account of an important conference.

"I will certainly be at your home for luncheon to-morrow, however, at 2 o'clock," Mr. Washington wrote. "Make it a nice little family affair, so that I can meet all of your family."

"I have only invited a few to be present," said Jack, "I have asked one or two of my political friends, including former Mayor Carter Harrison. It will be a social affair entirely.

"Dr. Washington knows that my highest ambition after I get through with the pugilist game is to be a benefit and honor to my race."

BACTILUS CLUB GIVES FIRST DANCE TO-NIGHT

The Bactilus Club, an organization composed of young ladies of the W. & A. Bacon company of Roxbury, will give their first entertainment and dance there to-night at the Bungalow, on River street, Mattapan. The club has been in existence for the past six months. Included among its members are many Roxbury girls. The party will be under the direction of Miss Mae Long, president of the club, Miss Catharine Flinn, vice-president, Miss Jennie Murphy, treasurer, assisted by Miss Mae Flinn, Miss Gertrude Cotton, Miss Gertrude Kline, Miss Helen Sullivan and Miss Teresa McCarthy. Miss Lillian Long will be the pianist.

BATTLESHIP SLAYER GETS SIX-YEAR TERM

CHERBOURG, Dec. 6.—Ernest Walker, fireman on the United States battleship Kansas, convicted by court-martial of killing Patrick Fitzsimmons of the Louisiana during race rioting here between black and white sailors on November 18, has been sentenced to six years' imprisonment.

TOBACCO PLANT FIRE LOSS IS $750,000

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 6.—Fire destroyed the plant of the Fendrich Tobacco Company here to-day. The loss is $750,000.

6-DAY FLYERS BEHIND RECORD

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The six day bicycle racers in Madison Square Garden at noon to-day had fallen below the record for the first 12 hours of the race. Began Thirteen teams had then covered 788 miles and four laps while the fourteenth team's score was 737 miles, five laps. The former record was 790 miles and two laps, made by Cameron and Kiteis one year.

At 6:00 o'clock the riders left in the French team refused to resume his team mate Jean Georget. Some one slipped riding, but still had four laps left in which to make up the deficit before he could finally was declared out of the race.

At 1 p. m. the thirteen remaining teams had covered 776 miles and two laps. The former record was 790 miles and two laps.

MELLEN CANCELS STREET CAR PASSES

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 6.—A notice issued to-day by President Charles S. Mellen that employes and others will not have free transportation on the electric railway lines controlled by the Boston & Maine Railroad after January 1, 1911, is causing much comment in the yards. "Beginning January 1, 1911, officials, directors, employes and others will have no free transportation on the electric lines of the company." This order not only stops the officials in the railroad employ, but the police and firemen who have been riding free for the past twelve years.

THREE MEN KILLED AS ROOF CAVES IN

MARBLE, Colo., Dec. 6.—Three men were killed and several others injured when the roof of a concrete vault, being reinforced by a marble company, fell in to-day. Contraction of the steel supports, due to frost, was given as the cause.

RAILROAD MAN TO TEACH AT HARVARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—W. J. Cunningham, who has been connected with the Harvard Railroad for a number of years, has been appointed assistant professor of railroads at Harvard. The appointment takes effect immediately.

THE WEATHER.

Snow to-day and to-night; Wednesday clearing; colder to-night and Wednesday; brisk to high easterly to northerly winds.

Sun rises, 6:50 a. m.; sets, 4:32 p. m.
Moon sets, 8:18 p. m.
High tide, 1:37 a. m.; 2:11 p. m.

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NATIONALISTS WIN 28 SEATS

LONDON, Dec. 6.—At 4 p. m. tables prepared by the various parties showed the following details of members returned thus far in the general parliamentary election:

One Liberal and four Nationalists returned unopposed, making the totals at that hour as follows: Unionists, 127; Liberals, 91; Laborites, 10, and Nationalists, 28; total for the coalition, 135.

A report from the parliamentary borough of Sunderland in Durham received at 11 a. m. stated that two Liberals had been returned and that the Laborite had made a gain of two seats. At Newcastle two Liberals and one Laborite were returned.

The first break in the dreary dismal weather which has marked the general elections so far came today. Fortunate Parliamentary candidates, many of them in London and the suburbs, rejoiced that the polls were voted for.

The first polling in Ireland was held today and a stormy time was promised, especially in the county of Cork, where cattle raised was staged between William Redmond and Timothy D. Sullivan, and Jeremiah O'Donovan, better known as "Rossa" O'Donovan, aspirant for the Irish Nationalist seat for Bow and Bromley, would appear for the balance of power.

Political experts predicted today that the Unionists will be able to do little more than encourage the government, according to the information so far appeared as to the complete reunion of the next Parliament. This makes it possible that the redistribution bill will have to be settled in a year by a series of contentious meetings of Parliament.

The second day's polling settled the result of the general election so far as the boroughs are concerned. At the Liberal headquarters the utmost confidence was expressed that the liberal coalition will come back with at least as large a majority as before.

The results of the polling in sixty-four constituencies overnight several conservatives declared before midnight that the polls of Newcastle on Tyne and Sunderland will be declared until tomorrow. If as anticipated these boroughs give four Liberals the result of today's voting will be a majority of the parties absolutely unchanged.

Unionist Gains.

On the results declared last night the Unionists have won one seat in Leeds and another at Birkenhead. They have gained two seats in London in one of which a Liberal majority of two was converted into a Unionist majority of 1,000. The Liberals entered seats in Wake Field and Hull.

The significance of the voting lay in the fact that in the city of Sunderland which were more reliable to the Liberals. There was a feeling in some of the seats contested under the Liberals were fighting on the defensive and that the Unionists had confidence enough that they would capture seven seats.

William O'Brien's latest shot against Parnell from the Nationalists has not yet been made. Such Mr. Healy has promised to explode, but Daniel Boyle, who accompanied Redmond and Dillon to the United States, was returned for the House of Lords and to fortify reform without opposition, no O'Brienite even being nominated.

At present the indications are that the Liberal coalition will retain office at least the same majority as at the dissolution, though if their fortunes in Scotland justify expectation they may have five to ten more.

The complete failure of the "American dollars" city to collect London, where it has been emphasized by this pitch of grotesque exaggeration is a bitter disappointment to the party who are now disheartened by the absence of excitement in this fight. In fact, the apathy of the electors in the face of their sexual incitements to vote for the Liberals have made unfavorable practices and are growing hopeless of retaining the Liberal majority.

The cable from Boston that Nationalist Philippines of the United Irish League had organized another $10,000 to help Nationalist fund, has had a sobering effect all over Ireland. Nevertheless and fight had been disputed by this money and promises of the electors in Ireland the Parties are dropping the "American dollars." It is already seen that the taunt, so offensively coined into a Liberal slogan, has only stimulated the ardor of the friends of Home Rule in America.

Police by the hundred are being drafted into Cork city in anticipation of serious trouble as soon as the poll is declared. The election is held on the assumption that the Liberal government still possesses the confidence of the country and that the Unionists have utterly failed to create any serious hostility to the proposed Irish legislature.

The Liberal gain of two seats in places so far apart as Yorkshire and Gloucestershire is further evidence that the North and South of England are unanimously hostile to the United States.

Latest Photograph of John E. Redmond

JOHN REDMOND

Showing Nationalist Leader Addressing Crowd.

MAN BLOWN UP BY DYNAMITE

Cascarino Tramandatis of No. 2 Morgan court, Nonantum, twenty years old, was blown to stones in a terrific explosion of dynamite at the construction works at the Metropolitan Water Company's tunnel at Newton Hill early today.

He was sent to get a new charge of dynamite. A few minutes later the explosion followed, and all that could be found was a place where the ground was torn up.

Shock Felt Miles Away.

The explosion awakened nearly the entire population of Newton, Watertown, Brighton and a part of Brookline. There was much excitement in police circles for a long time. All inquiries as to the location of the explosion was unavailing until nearly daylight. The explosion rattled dishes and jarred houses for several miles around.

The last words the dynamite was stored was blown up. It is estimated that there was nearly a ton of explosive in the hut at the time. The failure of the police to locate the explosion caused reports of a severe earthquake to be circulated. Even as far as Dedham and Cambridge, people had been awakened by the roar of the explosion.

The explosion was near the entrance to the tunnel when the Metropolitan Water Company is digging under Chestnut Hill to run a new pipe line into Boston. The entrance to this tunnel is near Lake street and it was near here that the explosion took place.

Seek Identity of Victim.

The Newton police telephoned to all surrounding towns, but finding no report of an explosion, decided that the blast came from within the borders of that city. The search narrowed down to the tunnel of the water company, where men were found searching for their comrade who had disappeared. When the workmen failed to return to the tunnel, his fellow workmen went out to look for him. Where the dynamite hut had stood there was but a deep indentation in the ground, the dirt being turned up for some distance. There was no trace of the workman. The noise of the explosion was lost to those who were at work far in the tunnel.

STORK AGAIN VISITS "POLITICIANS' ROW"

"Politicians' Row" a name given to Mt Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, has received another visit from the stork. This time he called the home of Timothy L. Connolly, former president of the old Common Council, and left a baby girl. Mrs. Connolly and child are doing nicely. Two weeks ago the stork brought a little girl to Councilman-elect James A. Curley.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight London Time

Opera Chorus Sings in Whisper.

VIENNA—The entire opera chorus has been summarily dismissed from the Imperial Opera for what is called a passive resistance demonstration. The men, numbering forty-eight, were exasperated by the refusal of their persistent appeals for better pay, and decided on Saturday to keep only the letter of their contracts. They appeared on the stage as usual, but suppressed their voices to whispers. The conductor's frantic efforts to make them sing were ignored, and the audience hissed them. Hence the punishment. The program has now been rearranged so as to exclude the chorus from the operas as far as possible.

King Alfonso Going to Melilla.

MADRID—According to present arrangements King Alfonso will start for Melilla between January 2 and 4. He will be accompanied by a large retinue, including court officials, Prime Minister Canalejas, General Aznar, Minister of War; commissions from the Senate and a number of aristocratic bodies, gentlemen who served as volunteers in the war in Morocco and newspaper men. It is reported that the tribesmen in the vicinity of Melilla are preparing to give the King an enthusiastic reception.

Maurice Kann Art Sale.

PARIS—At the sale of the Maurice Kann art collection 108 lots were disposed of, realizing a total of 321,715 francs, or about $64,371. Twenty five Saxony porcelains brought 56,995 francs, or $11,599. Two pieces in bronze with numerous figures in old Saxon porcelain brought the highest price of the lot, 15,100 francs, or $3,020.

Berlin's Population 3,400,000.

BERLIN—The provincial count of the general census shows an aggregate population of about 3,400,000. It will be some weeks before the final figures are announced. Munich has a population of 595,055, a gain of 56,000 over 1905. Leipsic has 585,743 residents and Nuremberg 332,500.

Henry Irving Statue Unveiled.

LONDON—Sir John Hare unveiled the statue of the late Sir Henry Irving erected by Thomas Brock in Charing Cross road back of the National Gallery. The statue represents the late actor standing with one hand on his hip and the other holding a roll of manuscript. He is wearing a flowing robe over a frock coat.

King George Going to Holland.

THE HAGUE—The Foreign Minister announced today that King George of England is planning to visit Holland soon as a sign of friendly relationship existing between the two nations.

More Pay for Spanish Deputies.

MADRID—A proposition to pay the members of the Chamber of Deputies 6,000 pesetas ($1,500) annually is now before that body for discussion.

STRIPPED OF CLOTHING AND LEFT TO FREEZE

WOBURN, Dec. 6.—Stripped of all his outer clothing and left to freeze by the roadside after having been attacked and robbed by three footpads, was the experience of John Smith of Lawrence, as related to the police of this city today. Smith claims that he was attacked by the highwaymen in Wilmington just before midnight and that after they overpowered him the trio not only secured cash amounting to $50, but dragged off his coat, vest and trousers, leaving him clad in his undergarments. Then they ran away and their victim suffered greatly from the cold while making his way to the Merrimack Chemical Works, where he had formerly been employed and where he was given shelter for the night. The alleged highway look place in the neighborhood of Perry's Corner.

CAMBRIDGE WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

Mrs. John Gilmore, seventy-two years old, was burned to death at her home, No. 11 Lowland avenue, East Cambridge, Joseph Pimental of No. 22 Lowland avenue, heard screams and saw smoke issuing from Mrs. Gilmore's basement kitchen window. He ran to the place and saw Mrs. Gilmore, with clothing ablaze, at one of the windows.

LODGER NEAR DEATH IN FIRE AT LYNN

Smoke and flame almost cost the life of Daniel Goudy, an occupant of the lodging house of Mrs. Minnie E. Pierce, No. 1 Bowman avenue, Lynn, early today, and caused a rush of half-clad lodgers to the street.

BOSTON AMERICAN MUTT AND JEFF AND DICTIONARY COUPON

Tuesday, Dec. 6.

SEVEN COUPONS OF CONSECUTIVE DATES FROM THE DAILY AND SUNDAY AMERICAN CONSTITUTE A SET

MUTT & JEFF & DICTIONARY DEPT., 221 DEVONSHIRE ST., BOSTON

One Set of Coupons with 25 cents good for one Mutt & Jeff 1910-11 cents extra by mail.

One Set of Coupons with 35 cents good for one No. 1 Dictionary, bound in cloth, plain edges, without thumb index, general contents same as No. 3, without maps and charts. Size 7¾x5¼x1¾.

One Set of Coupons with 65 cents good for one No. 2 Dictionary, bound in tan-colored calf binding, stained edges, contents same as No. 3, without maps and charts, same size as No. 1.

One Set of Coupons with 98 cents good for one No. 3 Dictionary, bound in sealgrained morocco, gold titles, thumb index, well printed on good paper, maps, charts, flags, signal codes, etc., in colors. Size 7¾x5¼x1¾.

Dictionary by mail, 15 cents extra.

LIVELY VOTING IN 14 CITIES

With lively contests on in almost every one of them, fourteen cities in this State are to-day balloting for municipal officials. Elections are being held in Brockton, Fall River, Fitchburg, Gloucester, Haverhill Lawrence, Marlboro, New Bedford, Northampton, Pittsfield, Quincy, Springfield, Taunton and Waltham.

In Springfield, Mayor E. H. Lathrop is a candidate for re-election, his Republican opponent being ex-Mayor W. E. Sanderson.

The rival candidates in those cities which elect Mayors to-day are:

Brockton—Mayor W. H. Clifford, Democrat; Harry C. Howard, Republican; Joseph D. Poitras, Socialist.

Fall River—Thomas Higgins, Democrat; Walter E. McLane, Republican.

Fitchburg—Mayor M. Fred O'Connell, Independent Citizens; ex-Mayor James H. McMahon, Citizens.

Gloucester—Isaac Patch, Republican; Harry Foote, Democrat.

Haverhill—Mayor E. H. Mariton, Republican; J. W. Bean, Democrat.

Lawrence—Mayor John T. Cahill, Democrat; Rudolph Miller, Republican.

Marlboro—Mayor John T. Shaughnessy, Democrat; J. H. Gleason, Republican, Theodore Temple, Independent; F. R. S. Mitchell, Citizens; John F. Mullen, Socialist.

New Bedford—Charles S. Ashley, Citizens; N. P. Soule, Republican.

Northampton—H. E. Bicknell, Democrat; Calvin Coolidge, Republican.

Pittsfield—Mayor W. H. MacInnes, Democrat; K. B. Miller, Republican.

Quincy—Mayor W. T. Shea, Democrat; R. W. Hobbs, Republican.

Springfield—Mayor E. H. Lathrop, Democrat; W. E. Sanderson, Republican.

Waltham—Mayor L. A. Walker, Republican; P. J. Duane, Democrat.

NEW SCHOONER FOR COMMODORE PLANT

Commodore Morton F. Plant, the New York millionaire owner of railways and steamship lines, placed an order Saturday with Herreshoff for a new racing schooner much after the type of the schooner Westward that defeated everything across the water the past Summer.

The yacht will be 96 feet waterline; 125 feet overall and will have 17 feet draught. It will be raced in the class with the Queen and Elmina and the contract calls for delivery in May, which means that the new boat will take part in the Larchmont and New York races during the year.

JANITORS COME INTO THEIR OWN

No more will the hard working Boston school janitor have to take his department card home to his wife married .50 or thereabouts, and have to explain why he didn't get a better mark. It won't be set down in per cent. and more, for he has made a big kick to the School Committee, and it was agreed that the janitor was the victim of no unjust marking system.

Now the janitor is to be marked on an "excellent," "good" or "unsatisfactory" basis. If the much-abused janitor hasn't assumed the ire of the schoolmaster by making his shoes polished and his corral neatly tied, he may get the mark "excellent" to bring joy and pride to his wife as he takes the card home at the end of each month. But the poor janitor who is marked "unsatisfactory" probably will resort to the school boy's trick, and tell his wife that "they didn't pass out any cards this month."

According to Joseph Lee, who appeared before the School Committee to protest against the percentage system of marking janitors, the average Boston schoolmaster wouldn't give .90 to an arrangnt if he performed the work of a janitor. It was declared that some of the schoolmasters cared more whether the janitor wore spotless collars than how he sifted the ashes or kept the cinders out of the coal grates. The janitor who creased his trousers, wore gloves and polished his hair every morning was more apt to be marked 90 than the sweep of the walks before breakfast and kept millions of microbes out of the school halls. Therefore, the janitor said a kick. He wanted to get back at the schoolmaster, so he petitioned the School Committee and had the matter changed. The record made out by the schoolmaster is the janitor's score for the month and the janitors are ambitious to stand well in their monthly reports. Some of the janitors candidly admit that it is pleasanter to take a card home to their family marked 80 than it is to show one to the family marked 40.

The school board at its meeting did not take action on the proposed Port Hill site for the High School of Commerce.

LINER LOSES PROPELLER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—A wireless message brought word to the agents of the North German Lloyd Line here that the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse cast her port propeller, and is making port with her starboard propeller, at fifteen knots an hour. At this rate she will dock Wednesday forenoon, as had been expected.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. Your druggist will refund money if Pazo ointment fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

500 Dolls Free!

Such dear dollies as these are. They are "Really truly dollies," as children say. Each one has eyes that open and shut, a head that turns so prettily, arms and legs that move just like live arms and legs; beautiful brown hair, lovely complexion and complete clothing. The clothing is just what a doll should have, fashionable dress, a "Stunning hat," as Mamma would say, shoes and stockings, and all that.

Santa Claus has given the Boston American Five Hundred Dolls for the children of Boston and New England.

They Are Going to Be Given as

Christmas Gifts

TO THE

500 Children

Who Write the Best Letters on the Subject:

"What am I going to do to make someone else happy on Christmas?"

That's All There Is to It, Children!

Of course, we are all going to try to make someone happy on that wonderful day. You are not going to think of yourselves alone, are you, boys and girls? All the little children will be interested in this doll contest. Every little girl and boy who writes a letter and gets a doll can make his little sister, cousin or friend very happy. That's the Christmas spirit! The letters must be short. Remember the subject.

"What am I going to do to make someone else happy on Christmas?"

Here Are a Few Rules, Then, About This Letter Writing:

Not over 200 words long. Keep to the subject. Sign your name, age, address and the school you attend. Address the letter: Doll Editor, P. O. Box 5242, Boston. Get your letter in early. Letters will be received up to six p. m. Wednesday, December 14. Any letters arriving after that time will not be opened. On the following Sunday, December 18, the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN will publish the full list of children receiving the 500 dolls, also some of the best letters.

Filenes "Walk Through Every Day" Filenes

Tunnel Bargain Basement

Entrance from Washington and Winter streets and Direct from Tunnel Trains.

Let the Automatic Price Reduction System Help you This Christmas—Tunnel Bargain Basement Savings will enable you to give MORE and BETTER Gifts!

NO OTHER STORE IN THE WORLD has a system of Automatically Reducing the Prices on lots that do not sell out within 2 weeks. NO OTHER STORE IN THE WORLD offers $100 Reward for any exaggeration or misrepresentation. NO OTHER STORE IN THE WORLD dates every price tag with the date received. NO OTHER STORE IN THE WORLD gives away any merchandise, but retains at the end of 5 weeks.

This is Significant to YOU because it Means a Remarkable Store and Remarkable Opportunities for Saving.

More Presto Coats

(On Sale for the first time Wednesday)

15.00 Heavy-weight Coats: mannish mixtures—"Presto" Collars: Also Mixture Coats worth 15.00 to 18.00—EITHER high storm or notch collars..... 7.95

16.50 to 20.00 Coats, mostly "Presto" Collars. 9.85

22.50 to 29.50 Coats, mostly "Presto" Collars. 12.75

Hundreds of Other Lots Not Advertised See Them Wednesday

3.00 Black Silk Petticoats: flounce and tucks— 1.41

1.00 Flannelette Dressing Sacques— 59c

Polo Coats

The most wanted coats of the present season.

With or without belts—of heavy Blanket Robes; worth 20.00 to 25.00, WEDNESDAY. Many of the "Presto" make, 13.50

See the Sale of Catalog Waists, (Silks, Linens, Lingeries), at ½ and Less Catalog Prices!

SAVE ¼ SAVE ½ SAVE ¾ SAVE ¼ SAVE ½

New $15 "Dutchess" Model Women's Long Coats

(For Tuesday and Wednesday)

$8.98

Always something new and always at the lowest price in Boston is bringing crowds of ladies to our new Women's Department. Here you get quick, service, courteous treatment in home-like, comfortable surroundings and save money, too. These Long Dutchess Coats of

Fine Stuart Cheviots

with deep nister collar, prettily made and trimmed, fancy cuffs and lapels, are worth $15, and no other store asks less. You will want one when you see them at 8.98

We Give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps

Alterations Free

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BARGAIN BASEMENT

An Excellent Xmas Gift At a Bargain Price

WORTH 1.00 and 1.25 — 79c

Men's & Women's Umbrellas

WEDNESDAY

WORTH 1.50 and 2.00 — 94c

Do Not Hesitate to Buy These Umbrellas for Xmas Gifts

We know of nothing any more acceptable and especially an umbrella of this quality and at such a low price. A piece dyed guaranteed fast color and waterproof cover, taped edge, steel rod and paragon frame, fancy or natural wood handles, sizes 26 and 28 in. Regular $1.00 and $1.25 umbrellas at 79c.

$1.50 and $2.00 Umbrellas—A little better umbrella at a trifle more expense, with pure silk case and tassel, natural and a vast assortment of fancy handles, some with silver and gold trimmings, 94c.

$2.50 and $3.00 Silk Waists—Best quality Japan Messaline and Taffeta Silk, trimmed with lace and embroidery, tucked and shirred, some with silk covered button on front. 1.98

WARN AGAINST PNEUMONIA

This is pneumonia season. You can refuse to join the list of its victims if you wish, according to the Boston Medical and Surgical Journal.

The real problem about pneumonia, according to the Journal, is not how to cure it, but to prevent it, for pneumonia, within certain limits, is preventable.

Early attention to "colds in the head," daily cleansing of the nose, mouth and throat, and precautions against exposure to direct contagion are enumerated as important measures in the life of those who would exercise intelligent care of their health. The article says:

"The pneumonia season is at hand. This disease keeps on claiming an enormous and increasing number of victims. It contributes about 2 per cent. of all internal diseases, and is responsible for nearly 5 per cent. of all deaths in the United States to-day. The mortality for tens of thousands of cases remains where it was 100 years ago—between 20 and 25 per cent. The day is probably coming when we shall have a specific for pneumonia, but, until that day comes, we must fight the disease as we have in the past, and we can hardly expect a decrease in mortality.

"In one respect, however, we can improve on the past, and that is in the matter of prophylaxis (prevention, avoidance), formerly, we can many times prevent. Although we cannot cure more cases than formerly, we can many times prevent the occurrence of the disease. In many cases of pneumococcus pneumonia there is a history of recent infection, generally severe, somewhere in the respiratory tract—a bad 'cold in the head' or a follicular tonsilitis, laryngitis or bronchitis. The patient recovers, perhaps, without being obliged to give up any of his ordinary duties, and seems perfectly well to himself, his family and his physician.

"But he may be harboring the pneumococcus all the time, and after his resistance has been lowered by business worry or long hours of work during the holiday season, by the freshfiful dust of the snowless streets and finally, perhaps, by careless or unavoidable exposure on a cold or wet night, the deadly micro-organism has his chance.

"We ought to take more seriously the cases of acute respiratory infection which come under our observation, especially between November and June, when most cases of pneumonia occur. A case of acute bronchitis should not be allowed to pass without a sputum examination.

"If pneumococci are present the patient should be kept in bed as long as there is the slightest fever, and after that he should be treated as a convalescent from pneumonia. He has had a pneumococcus infection, and, after all pneumonia itself is only a pneumococcus infection with local manifestations in the lung.

"A still better way to prevent pneumonia is to avoid the previous infection of the upper air passages. People who live in city streets should cleanse the nose, mouth and throat every night as a routine measure.

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BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

The only baking powder made with Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

No Alum, No Lime Phosphate

When Women Are Stronger Than Men

New England's Largest Display of

Fine Holiday Handkerchiefs

For Men, Women and Children

We have greatly enlarged our Handkerchief Section, where you will find designs in hand worked Appenzell, Madeira and Armenian, also a complete assortment of plain, hemstitched initials and fancies for men, women and children. These are not the ordinary holiday handkerchiefs, but all select yarns and designs which can be found only in New England's greatest handkerchief store.

Main Store, Street Floor.

Women's Handkerchiefs—Fine hand worked Appenzell 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50 up to 25.00

Women's Madeira Handkerchiefs — Fine sheer linen. Price, each, 50c, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00 up to 5.00

Women's Armenian Lace Handkerchiefs—Hand work. Price, each 37½c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 up to 3.50

Men's Plain Linen Handkerchiefs —Priced at .12½c, 25c, 50c up to 7.50

Men's Novelties — In plain white, plaids and cords. Price 25c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 up to 3.50

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs— Our own design on all numbers. Price, box of six, 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 3.00, 4.50 and 6.00

Women's Fine Plain Linen Handkerchiefs—Sheer and heavy linen, all kinds and sizes. Price, 9c, 12½c, 25c, 37½c, 50c, 75c, $1 up to $5

Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs—One corner hand embroidered. Price.....12½c, 25c and 50c

Children's Handkerchiefs — Complete assortment of novelties at 12½c, 25c, 50c, 75c up to 5.00

Men's Large Size Handkerchiefs —Our own direct importation. Special at .....25c, 37½c, 50c up to 1.00

Men's Colored French Handkerchiefs — Exclusive designs. Price, each.....50c, 75c, 1.00 up to 3.00

Men's Plain Linen Handkerchiefs —Hand hemstitched. Price 50c, 75c, 1.00 and 1.50

Children's Colored Handkerchiefs —Price, each.....5c, 12½c, 25c and 50c

Children's Initial Handkerchiefs —½ and ¼ dozen in a fancy box. Price, a box, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and 1.00

Women's Initial Handkerchiefs— All designs, made expressly for Jordan Marsh Co. Box of six, price 75c, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 3.00 up to 4.50

Children's Box Handkerchiefs— Plain white and colored border. ¼ and ½ dozen in box. Price, a box, 15c and 25c

SHOP EARLY—ONLY 16 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS. Our immense stocks contain everything imaginable for Holiday Gifts, therefore—IF YOU DO NOT FIND WHAT YOU WANT BE SURE TO ASK A SUPERINTENDENT as many of our new salespeople may not be thoroughly posted.

Jordan Marsh Company

DAVIE ORDERED SPECIAL OPERA

Robert E. Davie, the missing "boy broker," extended his financial operations beyond Boston and New York. Developments to-day show that a Providence bank is loser of $18,000 through the young "Napoleon of State street." Parties in Worcester, Portland and Nashua are looking in vain for him. The details of these losses may be revealed through civil or criminal actions, such as have already been instituted against Davie.

It also appeared to-day that Davie was as irresponsible to put it mildly—in his attentions to young women as he was in his financial dealings.

Though a married man, he was paying attention to at least two young women who thought he was single. One of these lives in Brookline, the other in Wellesley Hills. His friendship with the Brookline girl as a lever to further his financial exploits, Davie decked the girl's father out of $25,000.

Carried Off Girl's Diamond.

Then there is the episode of the girl whom Davie met at the New York Horse Show, and who is now mourning the loss of a valuable diamond ring. Davie was there, as has been told, in his pose as a horse show exhibitor in the coaching parade. Just before the parade started Davie turned to the girl, to whom he had been quite gallant. He said to her: "Let me wear your ring as a mascot."

The girl, charmed by the genial manner, drew the ring from her finger and Davie wore it away smiling. The girl never saw the ring again. Davie pawned it for $200, according to New York detectives, and used the money to give a dinner to other friends.

Account has been given of how Davie paid marked attention to a beautiful Wellesley girl, the young cousin of a Wellesley professor. The story goes so far as to say that Davie asked the girl to marry him next June and that she had given him a favorable acceptance. The girl is heart broken now with mortification at the knowledge of Davie's duplicity.

Pledge Borrowed Stock.

On top of all this comes to-day the news about Davie's enterprise in another quarter of the feminine world. This girl is the daughter of a Brookline man of wealth. The girl liked Davie and the father, interviewed by his daughter's inclination for the young man, accepted him as a trustworthy young man and one worthy of all reasonable assistance.

"Reasonable assistance" is Davie's long suit. He skilfully impressed the father with his plans for making money and before long persuaded the father to loan him $75,000 worth of stock to use as collateral in a deal.

Davie promptly pledged the stock with a broker. Later he secured enough more money on the stock to bring the total up to the face value, whereupon the broker naturally assumed possession of the stock to reimburse himself.

When Davie disappeared the surprised father found that there is no legal way in which he can recover possession of his stock.

Ordered Special Opera.

Victims of Davie have informed the police of doings of the young man which lead them to the belief that Davie was not responsible mentally. The police point out that either Davie was not of sound mind or his desire for publicity and off advertising had reached an acute stage. There is a belief that Davie has fled to Mexico.

One of the victims said to-day that while he was calling upon well-to-do friends, he asked permission to use the telephone. Calling up the Metropolitan Opera House in New York, he said that Mr. Davie of Boston was talking, and that he would be in New York the following Tuesday and would like very much to hear "Faust," which was billed for Thursday evening. As a favor, since business would not permit waiting in New York, he asked that the management change its date. He grew belligerent when told that this was impossible. He gave the impression to those who heard his conversation over the phone that he was very prosperous and used to large affairs.

He played the part of an immensely successful stock operator and permitted people to believe that he was deeply interested in some of J. Pierpont Morgan's deals until they began to wish they, too, could get some of the easy money. Nearly all of his earlier victims asked to be let in on deals.

Chose Victims Carefully.

As it appears now, they were carefully selected and but small amounts accepted from each. All received considerable bonuses when in a very few days. Later each was asked to contribute larger sums for the introduction Davie to folks who did have money in considerable amount.

He has never been a member of the Stock Exchange, although prepared to buy a seat two years ago, and made application for membership. So far as known, no action was taken on the application, but he was under suspicion even then.

So long as a big market prevailed Davie was fairly successful in his operations with money intrusted to him. Not being a member of the exchange, he enjoyed no commissions and depended wholly upon his winnings. When the market broke, however, his fortunes changed, and he is said to have been a steady loser for a year.

Got $25,000 From Merchants.

A small retailer between forty-five and fifty years of age was swindled out of his entire fortune of $25,000 by a test such a method. At least two cabels High Park women lost every dollar they possessed, about $10,000 each. It is also reported in Hyde Park that Davie got away with his mother's father small inheritance from his father.

The first court proceeding over the affairs comes up to-morrow before Judge Thompson, but it is not expected that much additional light will be shed upon Davie's dealings. The suit of Captain William H. Jackson against the Federal Trust Company for the return of 1,170 shares of American News Company stock will be heard.

Captain Jackson says that on October 27, 1909, he delivered to Davie twenty certificates of twenty shares in the American Woolen Company and ten shares of Swift & Co. stock. To be used in collateral for stocks to be purchased for Jackson, and that Davie converted these to his own use also.

MARRY ME, ADDIE

And I'll buy the ring at the eighty-six store, Wilson Bros. who make a specialty and sell a ring in forty-six styles, $8, $6 $4. Also a wedding ring in order for the money. Open Evenings.

WILSON BROS., Scollay Sq.

$3 GLASSES for $1

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Free—Souvenir Spoon with every purchase of $5 or more. Also a present for every one calling at our store. Watch Repairing. Jewelry Repairing.

ALARM CLOCKS 50c

BUY OF US. WE ARE AGENT FOR

ROGERS' SILVERWARE

WALTHAM WATCHES

WILSON BROTHERS, SCOLLAY SQ.

HA! HETTY GREEN SAVES 25 CENTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—One of the choice possessions of "Joe," the janitor of a house at the corner of Twelfth and Washington streets, Hoboken, is a carefully written bill for labor performed which reads something like this:

Hetty Green, Dr. to Joe, Janitor, for removing oil and the stain therefrom from the sidewalk at Washington and Twelfth streets, 25 cents.

One day not long before Mrs. Green moved from Hoboken to Manhattan she was passing down Washington street from her home at No. 1012 to the ferry, when she came to a place on the sidewalk where some one had spilled a can of machine oil. It had had time to sink into the cement and made a blackish green splotch as big as a cartwheel, a menace to women's dresses and a slippery place as well.

Mrs. Green stopped and stared at the spot. She walked around it and viewed it from all sides. Then Joe, the janitor, came out.

"Who did that?" demanded Mrs. Green angrily.

"Don't know," said Joe.

"It is a nuisance to passersby. I should think you would clean it up."

"I have no white wing license," said Joe.

"Well, you don't have to have a license to clean up the oil and the stain and I will give you a quarter. I don't like to see such things disfiguring the street."

"All right, I'll clean it up," said Joe.

The girl, clad in her rags and her grit, set to work and soon her rags and her grit were brush and soap. For two hours he scrubbed, and after the stain was apparently gone he went away for his dinner. The next morning he was waiting when Mrs. Green passed.

"I cleaned the spot up," explained Joe, pointing where the oil had been. "Now you give me the money."

Mrs. Green looked at the big black spot in surprise.

"I cleaned it up," she said, "but you didn't get the stain out. I couldn't give you the quarter without you take the stain out."

Joe looked disappointed, but said he would rescue the stain too. That day he worked five hours scrubbing the stain, but when it was dry he found the stain was still there. The next morning Mrs. Green found him on his knees still scrubbing, and she smiled as she passed. At last the janitor gave it up and threw the brush into the fireplace. "It's sure it no more," he said, "I will not take the money from a poor woman anyway." And the stain is still there and Mrs. Green still has the quarter.

DISASTER IN WAKE OF CHICAGO FIRE

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—One man was fatally injured, two severely and a score of families rendered homeless by a fire which destroyed three buildings on West Thirteenth street early to-day. The dying man is John Smith. The loss was $75,000.

MRS. COLFAX IS SERIOUSLY ILL

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 6.—Mrs. Ida Profilet, widow of Schuyler Colfax, the late Vice President Schuyler Colfax, is seriously ill at her home in South Bend, and friends of the aged woman are fearful she may succumb to her present condition. Mrs. Colfax has been ill for several weeks, but the fact was not generally known until to-day.

LETTER 2 YEARS ON WAY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Dr. J. B. McDonough has just received a letter that was two years on the way from Des Moines, Ia., to Montclair.

CANNED GOODS SALE

Rose Milk New Low Cost Can 10c

Peas Tender Early Junes 12c Value Can, 9c

Corn, Tender, Creamy 12c Value Can, 9c

Tomatoes FANCY QUALITY LARGE CAN 9c

Fruits CALIFORNIA All Kinds Can 17c

Butter 33c

Finest Vermont, Fresh Made Our Best.

Eggs Strictly Fresh Laid Guaranteed 35c Value Doz. 30c

Flour Golden Rose, Qal. 49c Finest Made 1-8 bbl. Bag 82c

Coffee Golden Rose, Mocha-Java Type. Lb 22c

Teas "Golden Rose," All Kinds, 50c Value. Our Price, lb. 35c

LIQUOR SALE

Hunter Rye ORIGINAL BOTTLING Bot. 90c

Mentor Rye OLD, MELLOW Qt. 71c

Duffy's Malt Whiskey, Bot. 75c

Aquinas Malt PUREST MEDICINAL Qt. 69c

Black & White Scotch, Bot. 1.07

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5-Pc. SLIP COVERS to fit Chairs and Sofas

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BOSTON, MASS

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Nine Important Specials in

Leather Goods

New goods, received underprice from manufacturers by placing orders during their dull season.

Hand Bags, black and colors, with 10-inch frame, gilt mountings, moire lined	3.00	**1.00**
Fitted Bags, moire lined, 10-inch frames	4.50	**1.50**
Children's Hand Bags, assorted leathers, double handles	1.50	**.65**
Imported Pocket Books, choicely selected leathers, in many styles	4.00	**1.95**
Shopping Bags, with centre compartment and change purse	4.50	**2.00**
Black Seal Hand Bags, German silver etched frames, one piece fitting	5.00	**2.75**
Matinee Bags, in imported alligator and hippo. calf	5.00	**2.75**
Hand Bags, 11-inch frames of German silver, leather lined	8.00	**3.50**
Black Silk Velvet Bags, moire lined	8.00	**5.50**

Direct from Belfast, Ireland

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs

For Men and Women—At About Half-Price

Consisting of over-runs, left after a manufacturer had filled his Christmas orders, and also handkerchiefs in which an occasional heavy thread appears and which strict inspection would not allow of being classed as "firsts."

Values 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c Each

Prices 6 for 45c, 65c, 75c and 1.00

Veilings and Veils

Each season brings out some particularly striking and attractive novelty. This season it is the **Mystery or Shadow weave in Veilings.** Chandler & Co. are showing many of the most attractive designs at **50c, 75c and 1.00**

Made Veils, in the above designs, in all silk chantilly, at **3.00, 5.00 to 9.50**

Chiffon Auto Squares, in all attractive shades, black and white, 40 inches square. Value 1.50. Price..... **95c**

Satin Broadcloth Chiffon Scarf Veils, three yards long and one yard wide. Value 1.75 each. Price **1.00**

Egyptian Scarfs Underpriced

Hand hammered in quaint old characteristic Egyptian designs, many in the most elaborate patterns. Nothing more effective for evening wear.

White and Silver..... 2.95, 3.25, 5.00 to 22.50

Black and Silver ..... 4.75, 5.95 to 10.50

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Included are Silk and Cotton Fabrics in the most popular evening shades—Fine Printed Dimities—Mercerized Poplins—Voiles—Plain and Printed Mercerized Cotton Rajah and French Percales. All very desirable for evening and street wear.

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Every piece in the lot is desirable in color, weave and style—Included are Undressed Worsteds, English Cheviots and Camel's Hair Cheviots. All 50 and 54 inches wide.

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Prices **75c** and **95c** yard.

Three Attractive Specials In

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Representing the surplus lots remaining in the stock of a manufacturer at the close of his season and secured at about half price.

Satin Messaline, 36 inches wide	1.75	**98c**
Satin Charmant de Soie, 36 inches wide	2.00	**1.25**
Cachemire de Soie, heavy quality with dull finish, 44 inches wide	4.00	**1.50**

MRS. EDDY TO REST IN CAMBRIDGE

Yet to Be Determined Whether Body Will Be Cremated or Placed in Mausoleum.

Alfred Farlow, official spokesman of the Christian Science Church in Boston, announced today that Mt. Auburn Cemetery in Cambridge had been selected as the place of burial of Mary Baker Eddy.

Whether the body will be laid at rest in a costly mausoleum, or whether all that is mortal of the aged discoverer and founder of Christian Science will be cremated and her ashes conducted to an urn in a special columbarium which the church has had has not been determined.

Five directors of the Mother Church, according to Mr. Farlow, left their offices in the Back Bay in an automobile this afternoon today to decide upon the site of the tomb for their revered leader.

A conference of the directors of the church board of trustees and executive board was held today, at which the question of the body's disposition was discussed.

The party visited the cemetery at length with Superintendent Jones, official and incineration.

Cremation Allowable.

No decision was reached at this preliminary meeting. It is not contrary to the teachings of the church rules to dispose of the bodies of the dead by cremation, and since Mrs. Eddy was an advanced thinker along these lines it is not improbable that she made a request that her body be given to the flames rather than to grave in the earth.

Nevertheless Mrs. Eddy are buried at Mt. Auburn, and no reason is assigned by the church committee for selecting that cemetery for the interment.

It is said that the body would be placed in an expensive sarcophagus at Chestnut Hill, Newton, in a spot often passed by Mrs. Eddy when she motored through the suburbs, and sent out on her daily drives, as stated by Mr. Farlow.

Offer from Mrs. Longyear.

A report in current today that Mrs. J. M. Longyear of Brookline, wife of a millionaire member of the Mother Church, owns a splendid plat of ground at Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

Immediately upon learning of Mrs. Eddy's death, it is said, Mrs. Longyear tendered to the directors of the Mother Church the use of ground as a burial place for the woman whose teachings she considered.

It must be remembered that less than a year ago Mrs. Longyear donated to the Mother Church a strip of land in the Back Bay, bounded by Huntington avenue, Falmouth and Massey streets, and valued at nearly $175,000.

This land was accepted by Mrs. Eddy in a tender note to Mrs. Longyear, in which Mrs. Eddy held up the donor's generosity for the emulation of all Christian Scientists. The land has since been transformed into a beautiful parkway, which now serves as a double boulevard entrance to the $2,000,000 Mother Church.

The hour set for the funeral—11 a. m. Thursday—as well as the place of burial are being considered to be definite, as the directors say much will depend upon the wishes of George W. Glover of Lenox, S. D., the only son of the great religious leader. Mr. Glover is now on his way to Boston with his two children, Mary and George, and when it is now announced, will arrive here Wednesday morning.

It is thought Mr. Glover will not oppose the cremation of his mother's body, provided it is in accordance with her expressed wishes. Of Mrs. Eddy's wishes in this respect was left no doubt. Mrs. Eddy, but it is also understood, expressed her desire, subject to the consent of her husband, to be cremated, or send her remains of her household.

Son Won't Contest Will.

A special dispatch to the BOSTON AMERICAN from Chicago announces the arrival there at 7 a. m. today of George W. Glover, Sr., and his son and his daughter, on their way to the funeral.

Mr. Glover declined he was not going to fight the will, as will in accordance with the statement of Christian Science officials that he would not contest the bequest left by his mother to the Mother Church at the time to the church was founded.

"I am going to the funeral of my mother," said Mr. Glover. "I am not going with any hostile intent."

"Is it true that you embraced the Christian Science religion, George?" he was asked.

"I won't discuss religion," replied Mr. Glover. "My mother's religion was her own, and I don't care to talk about Christian Science."

Tribute to His Mother.

"How do you regard your mother?" he was asked.

"Mrs. Eddy," he replied, "was one of the most remarkable women the world has ever seen. But who do you ask me questions? I haven't anything to say and I don't want to talk. I am going to Mrs. Eddy's funeral."

Only once during the interview did Mr. Glover say "Mother." At other times he referred to this parent as Mrs. Eddy.

The party reached Chicago over the Northwestern railroad at 6 o'clock this morning. Miss Glover was a bonbon during the night.

Mr. Glover, the son of Mrs. Eddy, is the man of probably fifty years, small in stature and with a grey beard that leaves but little of his facial complexion visible.

John C. F. Ryan a confidential friend of Mr. Glover, explained the elderly man's apparent restiveness. "Mr. Glover is much grieved at the death of his mother and does not want to discuss it," he said. "He is an old man and does not care that the public should be interested in his movements or intentions."

Ryan will accompany the Glovers to Boston on the Twentieth Century limited which leaves Chicago at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Denial is made of reports that Mrs. Eddy would be buried in a crypt in the Mother Church in Boston. Mr. Farlow declared the church contained no crypt, and the denial was made also by Charles Brigham, the architect of the church, who said he was called for no crypt or burial vault in the church, and that if one were there today it had been added after he had completed his work.

Another story was to the effect that Mrs. Eddy would be buried beside her husband at Tilton, N. H., where the Baker family lot is located. The family have been interred for generations. But in Tilton it was said no arrangements had been made for her burial there or for the removal of the body in the cemetery tomb during the night.

Up in Concord, N. H., where Mrs. Eddy lived at Pleasant View for many years, and where she had so many devout follow ers, the hope was expressed today that these that the leaders of the church in Boston would see at last a final rest taking place somewhere in the beautiful grounds surrounding her former home.

Deluge of Telegrams.

Thousands of telegrams and letters are being received hourly at the Mother Church from Christian Scientists all over the United States, expressing loyalty to the board of directors and sympathy for the officials in the loss of their leader.

Cablegrams from all parts of the civilized world are also coming in, from the arrival of mail steamships from foreign lands since the Christian Science church has established a foothold.

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TREASURY ASKS $748,414,860.81

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—The Secretary of the Treasury in his annual estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, submitted to Congress today, asks for $748,414,860.81 for Government expenses. This is an increase of $5,347,873.09 over the estimates for the present fiscal year and $96,879,751 less than was appropriated by Congress for the present fiscal year.

The estimates for next year are what have been anticipated in the way of economy in view of the fact that President Taft has persistently "hammered" economy into the heads of his various departments.

The largest individual item is that of $265,257,545 for the maintenance of the War Department. The Panama canal, dredging of war the navy, $128,942,158 is asked. For the Treasury Department the second largest individual item, $189,151,886, is asked.

The other department estimates are: Treasury, $141,586,006; legislative, $15,426,805; agriculture, $19,681,066; commerce and labor, $16,276,976; district of Columbia, $13,662,785; justice, $10,063,576; state, $8,875,576; independent offices, $24,151,000; miscellaneous, $27,412,000; deficiencies, $2,688,686; post office, $1,979,400. ... and the White House, which includes the salary of the President and maintenance of his home and office, $100,170, the last being the amount asked for last year, although $18,000 more than was appropriated at the present session.

It is pointed out in the estimates for the war department, $56,283,843 is for carrying on the work of digging the Panama canal and $9,824,876 for the maintenance of the military branch. The latter item, $1,000,000 less than was asked for last year.

In the estimate $117,924,832 is for the navy.

The amount is $3,000,000 less than was appropriated for the present year, and the largest item included in the estimates for the fiscal year 1912. It is $15,698,586 is for pensions, and is $2,000,000 less than the present pension appropriation. In the estimates for the Treasury $11,864,545 is intended for the erection of 55 new federal buildings and for the improvement of old ones.

For the executive branch of the government nearly 50 per cent. of the total appropriation, or $9,824,876 is for the printing, paper, binding and lithographing which indicates that the government bookmakers talk annually at the rate of $6,000,000.

For the postal service exclusive of the Postoffice Department proper $250,753,000 is required, which is an increase of $6,000,000 over the amount appropriated for this service at the last session of Congress. For inland transportation by railroads $48,883,000 is estimated, an increase of $3,400,000. For city delivery $32,250,000, an increase of $1,250,000, is found necessary. For general appropriation, compensation to first and second class postoffices amounts to $36,100,000, the same as the present appropriation; compensation to third and fourth class postmasters $20,000,000, and for employes in the railway mail service, $29,549,100, a reduction of $1,000,000.

SUBWAY'S DEAD MAN RESTAURANT WAITER

The body of the man who dropped dead at the Park street entrance of the subway last evening was today identified as that of Edward P. Jennings, a waiter in the Bromfield hall restaurant, by a card found by his brother, Medical Examiner Leary. After an autopsy, gonorhea death due to heart failure.

POTHIER GOT 33,540 VOTES FOR GOVERNOR

PROVIDENCE, Dec. 6.—The official count of the ballots cast in the November election in this state has been completed but not to vote for Governor was: Aram J. Pothier, Republican, 33,540; Lewis A. Clarke, Democrat, 27,400; Nathaniel C. Green, Prohibition, 988; Thomas F. Herrick, Socialist-Labor, 2,000; Edwin Burritt Smith, Democratic George F. O'Shaughnessy, Democrat, had 17,552. William H. Winfield, Republican, had 1,000. In the Second Congressional District George H. Utter, Republican, had 18,983; Thomas F. Cooney, Democrat, 12,701. The Legislature assisted Congress, one the Republicans 10; House, Republicans 63, Democrats 55.

RAILWAY CLERKS ELECT.

The Massachusetts Bay Lodge 71, Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, has elected the following officers: President, E. E. Rea; vice-president, Samuel F. Smith; secretary, Edward Hazen; treasurer, Jay C. Beckwith. These officers will be installed at the first meeting in January.

CHICAGO GIRL IS RICHEST HEIRESS WITH $30,000,000

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Young Miss Catherine Barker must be added to the galaxy of American heiresses, if, indeed, she is not the brightest gem in that array of beauty and wealth.

Her father, John H. Barker, who died Saturday, bequeathed $30,000,000, his entire fortune, to Miss Catherine, fourteen years old. She is the richest girl or unmarried woman in the country probably and one of the wealthiest in the world.

Thirty million dollars is at least double the fortune of Miss Helen Gould of New York, three times that of Miss Jennie Crocker of San Francisco and fifteen times that of Miss Dorothy Whitney of New York.

$35,000 FIRE AT CRANSTON CLUB

CRANSTON, R. I., Dec. 6.—The house of the Pilgrim Automobile Club on Eldridge street, this city, was destroyed by fire early today and the loss is estimated at at least $35,000. Of this amount $10,000 is represented by the value of the building, which was formerly one of the finest residences in the city and surrounded by handsome grounds.

The Pilgrim Automobile Club has a very prosperous member Mike Slattery, who is known by Means's reply to the protest made by the members of the department before sullen allowing fakirs to sell goods during the parade on the Cranston street, between Belgian and Park streets. According to the report, the committee refuses to comply with the request, on the ground that it is an old custom to grant permits and that the fakirs do not sell in front of private business houses.

GAS ASSOCIATION OPENS CONVENTION

The sixth annual convention of the National Commercial Gas Association began to-day in the Mechanics' building, with a private view of the gas show for convention delegates and guests. The gas show will be open to the public to-morrow. The convention and gas show are to run four days. The first convention session was called to order by President R. S. Wright of Boston. Reports of officers and other opening business followed. The morning session adjourned shortly before noon to allow members and guests to participate in the private view of the gas show. This afternoon William T. Barbour, president of the Detroit Stove Works, read the manufacturers' paper before the convention and gas show arrangements are very complete, including even the publication of a daily convention newspaper called "convention Daily Bulletin."

SOCIALIST PROTESTS WILDER'S ELECTION

FITCHBURG, Dec. 6.—A protest against the issuance of a certificate to William H. Wilder of Gardner, Republican Councilman elect from the Fourth District, has been filed with Secretary of State William M. Olin, by James R. Ryan of this city, Socialist candidate for Congress, on the ground that the recent recounts in 24 cities and towns of the district were illegal because of the failure of the clerks to give Mr. Ryan notification of the recounts, which is required by statute. Mr. Ryan plans to petition for an injunction to restrain the secretary from issuing the certificate. The protest is against the issuance of a certificate for the full term, not that caused by the death of the late Councilman Charles Q. Tirrell of Natick, to which Hon. John J. Mitchell of Marlboro was elected for the short term.

BRAND SCORES G. G. A. METHODS

Councilman Frederick J. Brand of Ward 20 attacked the Good Government Association at the session of the City Council charging that organization with being unjust in its representations of those who do not agree with it, and saying its methods were similar to those of the vendetta.

He expressed displeasure at being referred to as a Fitzgerald councilman in connection with the adoption of the ordinance consolidating the street water and engineering departments and the establishment of a department of public works. He claimed that he had considered carefully the proposition of consolidating the departments before the association had taken the matter up in "City Affairs," and said that he had discovered that no specific provisions had been made for the salaries of the division engineers who are to have charge of the various divisions.

Councilman Brand then declared that another organization was conducted in practically the same manner and advocated the election of candidates without regard to their experience.

The councilman's attack caused considerable feeling, and some of the Good Government or Citizens' Municipal League representatives in the council made any reply.

Councilman Brand's motion was defeated last year by the League, but his name was again considered suddenly for abandonment this year when the three candidates for the committee were selected.

The Mayor officially informed the City Council that the total amount of the Parkman fund income available for the year's expenditure is $197,809.06, of which $190,-155.84 is intended on the final which has accrued since Jan. 1, the balance having been left over from last year.

City Collector Parker submitted to the council a list of uncollected poll taxes, assessed from January 31, 1899, to January 31, 1910, which amounts to $1,074,880.

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Considerable excitement was caused in Revere early to-day, when the discovery of fire in the basement of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Beach street and Winthrop avenue, brought a large number of residents to the scene. The fire was confined to the basement of the lamp burning before the tabernacle. The fire department, by telephone call summoned the chemical engine and the flames quickly extinguished the fire. A large statue was overturned and shattered, and the chemical ruined the altar carpet and line.

BRIDE IS MOTHER'S DAUGHTER-IN-LAW

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 6.—Miss Anne Schulman was married by a bride at Barnard Schulman. The bride, also a daughter of Mrs. Israel Schulman, is the stepsister of her husband. By this union Mrs. Israel Schulman becomes mother-in-law to her stepson, Barnard Schulman has for a father-in-law also her own father. Her mother, formerly Mrs. Betsey Lewis, married the father of the bride of the late Rabbi Israel Shulman. The bride is, of course, the child of the pretty, step-sister-in-law to herself, and her own mother's daughter-in-law.

OAK HALL NOW OFFERS

The Entire Surplus Stock of ADLER-ROCHESTER-

SUITS

This is not the usual story of a wholesaler needing money—it is simply a case of "OAK HALL" being able to secure the Adler-Rochester Surplus Stock and offering it at a price whereby everybody is given an opportunity of trying out a line of clothing which we consider the best made in the country.

These Suits are all in the latest colors, including browns, grays, blues and tans in light, medium and dark shades—in all the latest models, including "regulars," "stouts," "short stouts," "shorts," "longs" and "long stouts."

These Regular $20.00, $22.50 and $25.00 Suits

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Our own make, extra long and full width.

1.50 Flannelette Nightgowns 95c

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A remarkable Flannelette bargain, one that will demonstrate our appreciation of your business.

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It will direct you to my office, where you can have your teeth EXTRACTED and filled absolutely without pain by the use of PAINLESS METHODS.

You can also save money by having your work by coming to my office. To increase my business and afford you the opportunity of having your work done at reasonable prices, I am offering the following Special Holiday Inducements.

$25 Plates (Regular $20.) $16 Plates for $12.
$12 Plates for $10. $10 Plates for $8.
GOLD TOOTH CROWNS ON PLATES $5 Pure Gold Crowns $3
$3 Pure Gold Crowns $2
Gold Fillings $1
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All work guaranteed for 20 years.

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Hours, 9 to 7; Sundays, 10 to 2

Women's Health

may be protected by keeping the blood pure, the liver active and the bowels regular with

Beecham's Pills

In boxes with full directions 10c. and 25c.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

can be given with perfect safety to the youngest child. It is the best. Buy no substitute. 25c.

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PRINCE LAUDS OUR GIRLS

"American women are the most beautiful women in all the world," declared Prince Feyzdun Maloom Khan of Persia, who is here for a "social" visit.

"Perhaps I may lose an American bride back to Persia with me," he asserted, when questioned about the rumors to this effect. Then he added quickly, "There is nothing certain."

Prince Maloom will remain in Boston a few days as the guest of H. H. Tamaliran, Persian Consul General, who is also entertaining for the prince. Among the social events for the latter will be a dinner tonight by Governor Draper, Mayor Fitzgerald and "scores" of other leaders. When the prince decided to make "Yes, sir," he said, "I am a social butterfly but speak of this. Really I am just seeing Boston."

Special Notice

Only One "BROMO QUININE"

Laxative Bromo Quinine

Cures a Cold in One Day. Grip in 2 Days

E. W. Grove 25c.

ELISHA PACKARD DEAD IN QUINCY

Elisha Packard, last seven will known throughout the East from his connection with the Packard horse shoeing industry, died at his home in Quincy, stricken with apoplexy. He was taken sick while returning from Boston on his usual 6:30 train. Mr. Packard served in the Civil War with the Forty-fourth Massachusetts Regiment.

FIRE EXCHANGE IS MONOPOLY

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 — Today's session of the Armstrong insurance investigation by Robb, manager of the Stock Exchange, developed a complete monopoly of fire insurance. Mr. Robb was forced to admit that the Exchange refuses rates to fire insurance companies other than the big foreign ones.

PITTMAN, FREE, ON WAY HOME

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 — William P. Pittman, head of Nicaraguan revolutionary junta, arriving here today from Europe, will be free to go where he wishes in the United States, Madrid government today from a cable of new headquarters of the Women's Political Union, at No. 46 East Twenty-Ninth street.

The Women's Political Union, of which Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch is president, is a part of the suffrage element which

SMOKE UP, SUFFRAGETTES!

NEW YORK, Dec. 6 — Smoke up, suffragettes! This is the new cue to your militant sisters' work as Albany during the session of the Legislature. Mrs. Blatch, the Winter's campaign among the Albany legislators and the unconverted in the district.

"Votes for women" cigarettes and tobacco will be sold. Mrs. Blatch is positive that every silent thing, or will be satisfied with nothing else than a vote.

Remember, No Dinner Setting Complete Without

WHITE ROCK WATER

Wednesday, Dec. 7, Is Blue Ribbon Day at Gilchrist's

This Ninth "Blue Ribbon Day" brings about an action unprecedented in modern retail log. It offers the broadest holiday stocks ever shown at Gilchrist's at typical Blue Ribbon Prices.

We have engaged the largest sales force we've ever had. We've doubled our force of cashiers. We've prepared for the greatest day of selling we've ever known. We are bound to break all records, for it will be a sale unparalleled in the annals of retailing both by the nature of the Merchandise offered and in the compelling force of its drastic underpricing.

The December Blue Ribbon Day at Gilchrist's is an event that is being looked for and to a great extent by New England.

Many thought we would not have a Blue Ribbon Day in the month of December because there is always a heavy volume of business without other incentive than the universal spirit of gift giving. The Shopping Public of New England have made Blue Ribbon Day what it is, therefore, in spite of the fact that such a sale is phenomenal in the very heart of the Christmas season, we have determined to have the sale, and it will be the Greatest of All "Blue Ribbon Days."

WEDNESDAY DEC 7 BLUE RIBBON DAY WEDNESDAY DEC 7

PRIZE WINNERS

WOMEN'S COATS AND SUITS

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$15.00 Carmel Cashmere boucle, loose broadtail trim; sizes 36 to 44. **8.75**

$18.00 Natural Pony Cloth Coats—Fine quality silk lining, in fur shade; full length. **8.75**

$12.00 Mixture Coats—Fine all-wool material, full length, satin lining. **6.75**

$30.00 Velveteen Dress Suits—Plaid coat lay, several styles, braid trimmed or plain, skinner satin lined. **15.00**

$15.00 Women's Suits—Made from worsteds, broadcloths and cheviots, in Skinner satin lined; 16 to 44 bust. **9.75**

GIRLS' APPAREL

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$2.25 Girls' Hairstripe Percale aprons, in slip effects, sizes 6 to 14 years. **1.19**

$7.00 Girls' Winter Coats—Made from heavy curly cloths, full length. **3.75**

WOMEN'S PETTICOATS

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

The Black Sateen Petticoats—Tucked and corded flounce, full flounce, at. **1.49**

$1.00 Jersey Top Petticoats—Fine wool flounce and under ruffle at. **69c**

$1.50 Black Moreen Petticoats—Tufted flounce and under ruffle at. **85c**

$2.00 Black Sateen Petticoats—A new percaline finished soft satin; tucked and corded and tucked flounces, at. **1.23**

$4.00 Black Silk Petticoats—Guaranteed not to split or crack, at. **2.39**

INFANTS' AND CHILDREN'S WEAR

$7.50 Children's Winter Coats—Newest models and fabrics, in all sizes of fine broadcloth, para, velvet, etc., sizes 2 to 6 years, at. **3.98**

$3.98 Infants' and Childs' Coats—Of fine para effect cloth, Copenhagen and blue silk braid trimmed, with yoke, and lined throughout; sizes 2 to 6 years, at. **2.98**

50c Children's Flannelette Gowns—Fine quality, in pink and blue stripes; sizes 4 to 14 years. **29c**

25c Children's Mittens—Plain white, fine grade. **15c**

30c Infants' and Childs' Toques—Light and dark colors; full size; at. **19c**

$1.25 Infants' and Childs' Dresses—Of fine grade white nainsook, made with Val. lace and insertion. French style, 6 months to 3 years, at. **85c**

$1.50 and $1.98 Childs' and Misses' Sweaters—Of all-wool Shetland yarn, in necks and pockets, made full, in red, gray and white, and sizes 2 to 14 years. **1.00**

The Child's Gainten Rompers—Heavy quality, in tan, red and gray; with pockets. **42c**

WOMEN'S WAISTS

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

75c Outing Flannel Waists—Made in a neat tucked effect, for morning wear, at. **49c**

$1.25 Corded Poplin Waists—In black only, pointed open front style; sizes 34 to 44, at. **.84c**

$3.50 Black Silk Waists—In fine quality of taffeta silk; sizes 32 to 44. **1.78**

$2.00 Plaid Waists—Made of fine wool in navy, red, black, brown and gray, at. **1.39**

$1.25 Madras Waists—White corded effects with embroidered collars, at. **69c**

$1.50 White Lawn Waists—Daintily trimmed, newest advanced styles; sizes 34 to 44, at. **.83c**

$2.25 Batiste Waists—Hand embroidered polka dots; sizes 34 to 44, at. **1.19**

$3.50 Velvet Waists—Made with long sleeves, with silk yoke. Navy, brown, gray, red and black, at. **2.39**

$5.00 Chiffon Waists—Made over Persian, with white yoke. Black, navy and gray, at. **3.39**

KNIT UNDERWEAR

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

$2.00 Women's Union Suits—A wool, heavy winter weight, in ecru shade, with gusset, perfect glove fitting sizes, ankle length, at. **1.49**

$1.00 Women's Jersey Union Suits—Medium weight cotton, fine neck, sleeves and tight fitting ankle length, at. **.42c**

$1.00 Women's Union Suits—Fine lined, long sleeves, ankle length, regular and extra sizes, right weight for fall wear.

50c Women's Jersey Vests—High neck, long and short sleeves, pure white, medium weight, at. **29c**

FLANNELETTE GARMENTS

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

The Night Robes—Stripped outing flannel, full sweep skirts, at. **.89c**

$1.00 Night Robes—Made from plain and fancy cut in striped flannelette. **65c**

$1.00 Night Robes—Plain white and striped effects, double yokes back and front, collar and cuffs trimmed. **.98c**

The Underskirts—Of outing flannel, deep buttonhole stitch ruffle, full sweep, at. **.98c**

50c Underskirts—Plain white, with embroidery ruffle, deep hemstitched hem, lengths 27, 36 and 38 inches, at. **.39c**

The Underskirts—Plain white, with embroidery ruffle, deep hemstitched hem, and blue, at. **.39c**

$1.00 Underskirts—Plain colors, deep embroidered ruffles in plain and fancy. **.89c**

SMALL WARES

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

10c Sewing Silk—Spool size, in black, at. **.10c**

5c Sewing Silk—100-yard spools, black and colors, at. **3 for 10c**

10c Dress Shields—Guaranteed, Featherbone Brand, at. **.13c**

10c Pair Stocking Feet—Black only, at. **.7c**

15c Tan Tour Hair Nets—3 in a box, at 25c, each. **.9c**

25c Spool Holders—Nickel Plated, at. **.9c**

25c Needle Book—Assorted, at. **.18c**

$1.00 Sanitary Aprons—Made of percale, with wire, at. **.17c**

29c Hose Supporters—Dressed, fine, shirred, box. **.19c**

$1.25 Charter Pads—Extra quality, 100 sheets, at. **.79c**

BUTTONS

(Street Floor—Washington Street Side)

10c and 15c Pearl Buttons—Various sizes, on a card, at. **.5c**

50c Fancy Buttons—Small sizes, for coats, at. **.19c**

75c and $1.00 Fancy Buttons—Assorted, large sizes, at. **.49c**

MILLINERY

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$5.00 Trimmed Hats—Our entire assortment of $5.00 trimmed hats, at. **.95c**

$1.98 Misses' Beaver Hats—Trimmed in three shapes. **.95c**

$4.98 Ostrich Plumes—French ostrich plumes in black, 16 inches long. **.3.95**

$6.95 Ostrich Plumes—French ostrich plumes in black, 18 inches long. **.4.95**

$22.50 Willow Plumes—22 inches long and 16-inch drooping, in black only. **12.00**

$7.50 Willow Plumes—In black only, 15 inches long, with 6-inch drop. **.5.50**

75c Gilt Bands—In good assortments at. **.39c**

FURS

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$35.00 Coney Coats—Full 52 inch length, all sizes, full flared skins. **23.50**

$10.00 French Lynx Skins—Large scarf, full size shawl. **6.98**

BOY'S CLOTHING

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

50c Boys' Topes—All sizes in navy, red and brown. **.38c**

$1.25 Boys' Sweaters—Coat sweaters, plain colors or fancy trimmed, sizes 26 to 30 years, at. **.88c**

$1.75 Boys' Coat Sweaters—Almost all sizes in 20 styles, in plain colors or fancy, at full. **1.38**

$3.50 Boys' Bath Robes—Of fine imported goods, made from fancy colored cloths. **2.38**

$2.50 and $3.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats—Suits, in sizes 3 to 16 years, Russian, sailor blouse or double-breasted styles, made from fancy cassimeres, in Russian and sailor styles, sizes 3 to 10 years, in plain gray and fancy mixtures, at. **1.78**

$4.00 Boys' Suits and Overcoats—Overcoats in sizes 2 to 10 years, Russian or sailor styles, in gray and fancy cassimeres. Suits in all sizes, 3 to 17 years, made from scotch and fancy cassimeres, at. **2.48**

$5.00 Boys' Overcoats and Suits—Overcoats, in Reefers or long coat style with reversible collar, in fancy cassimeres, in fancy cassimeres and serges, both in sizes 2½ to 17 years, at. **3.48**

$6.50 Boys' Overcoats and Suits—Overcoats in all the latest styles, in all wool kerseys and fancy Scotch cassimeres, Russian, reefer or long coat style with the reversible collar. Suits in all wool serges, fancy Scotch cheviots and worsteds, three-piece sack and double breasted styles, sizes 3 to 17 years, at. **4.38**

$6.00 House Coats and Bath Robes—House coats of all wool velour and cheviots, trimmed with silk braid, in many different shades of blue, brown, gray, garnet and green. Bath robes in all the latest designs and combinations, made from fancy eiderdowns. Both in sizes 34 to 48. **4.48**

PYROGRAPHY

(Third Floor—Winter Street Side)

$1.25 Pyrographic Outfit—With extra quality, point, complete, at. **1.19**

17c Stamped Boxes—For pieces or handkerchiefs, at. **13c**

BAGS AND SUIT CASES

(Third Floor—Winter Street Side)

$5.00 and $6.00 Traveling Bags—Made of genuine cowhide, full leather lined, with inside lock and catch; sizes 16 to 18 inches, at. **3.95**

$6.00 Suit Cases—Made of good quality leather, linen lined and heavy protected corners, at. **3.69**

APRONS

(First Floor—Hamilton Place Annex)

The Round Tea Apron—Trimmed with insertion and edge, at. **15c**

25c Kitchen Aprons—Mother Hubbard style, prints and gingham, at. **12½c**

50c Cover-All Aprons—Gingham and percale, at. **.39c**

2 Skirt Aprons—Good size, at. **15c**

WOMEN'S HOSIERY

(First Floor—Washington Street Side)

$1.00 Women's Pure Silk Hose—Full fashioned, finished with mercerized tops and soles, plain colors, in black and bright fine thread silk, at. **69c**

50c Women's Silk Hose—Of fine sheer thread, deep double, mercerized tops, reinforced three-thread heels and soles, plaint black, at. **.39c**

35c Women's Cotton Hose—Imported Hermsdorf dye, popular weight for every wear, double soles, heels and toes, at. **.21c**

50c Women's Lisle Hose—Fine gauge, imported, plain and hand-embroidered silk clocks, at. **.29c**

25c Women's Fleece Lined Hose—Full regular make, double soles, heels and toes, elastic tops, fast black, slight seconds, at. **.17c**

WOMEN'S CORSETS

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

The Coutil Corsets—Newest long hip style, sizes 18 to 30. **.98c**

$1.00 La Lily Coutil Corsets—Sizes 18 to 28. **.69c**

$2.00 C. B. Coracets—New style; sizes 18 to 28, at. **1.19**

EMBROIDERIES

(Hamilton Place Annex)

28c and 39c Hamburg Embroidery—Corset cover and dress flouncings, at. **19c**

50c Flouncings—27-inch, good assortment of designs, at. **.25c**

15c and 25c Edges and Insertions—At. **10c**

10c Bands and Beadings—At. **5c**

BOOKS

(Fourth Floor—Washington Street Side)

50c, The Sky Pilot—By Ralph Connor. **.19c**

50c, Webster's Dictionary—Unabridged. **.19c**

50c, Saint Elmo—By Augusta J. Evans. **.19c**

50c, The Teddy Bears—By Paul Cushing. **.19c**

25c, Happy Hour Painting Books—At. **.19c**

STATIONERY

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

50c Cashmere Box—Containing 24 sheets and envelopes, at. **.33c**

50c Post Card Album—Holding 100 cards, at. **.27c**

Fantasia Pens—Stickiest, fresh stock, at. **.79c**

$1.00 pens at. **.79c**

$1.50 pens at. **.98c**

25c Desk Calendar—Solid brass. **.19c**

$3.50 Desk Stands—Imperial, with solid brass, at. **2.49**

50c Christmas Booklets—Containing booklets with envelopes, at. **.21c**

30c Box Paper—Lithographed top, tints and white, at. **.19c**

FLOOR COVERINGS

(Fourth Floor—Washington Street Side)

$15.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs—Size 9 by 12 feet, at. **10.95**

$18.50 Tapestry Brussels Rugs—Size 9 by 12 feet, at. **12.95**

$25.00 Axminster Rugs—Size 9 by 12 feet, at. **17.95**

$25.00 Body Brussels Rugs—Size 9 by 12 feet, at. **19.50**

$37.50 Seamless Wilton Rugs—Size 9 by 12 feet, at. **29.50**

50c Sq. Yd. Floor Oil Cloths—Tile and block patterns, at. **25c**

50c Sq. Yd. Printed Linoleums—Floral and block patterns, at. **29c**

$1.25 Jute Smyrna Rugs—Size 27 by 54 inches, at. **69c**

$1.00 Jute Brussels Rugs—Size 27 by 54 inches, at. **.50c**

$4.00 Axminster Rugs—30x72 inches, in floral and Oriental designs, at. **2.49**

$1.50 and $2.00 Mitre Rugs—Made from good carpet, at. **.98c**

Heavy Brusselette Granite Art Squares, regular range of extra good wool colors, tans and reds, new and perfect designs.

$2.00, 3 x 3½ yards	1.49
$2.50, 3 x 3½ yards	1.79
$3.50, 3½ x 3½ yards	2.49
$3.98, 3½x3½ yards	2.59
$4.50, 3½x3½ yards	2.98

$1.50 Brush Door Mats—Large size, fancy mixed coconut duplex. **.89c**

$1.25 Fringed Rugs—Made from select wool and Axminster centers, in 12 inch size, at. **.75c**

50c Dundee Kitchen Rugs—Heavy quality, at. **.37c**

$1.00 Child's Body Leggins—Fine quality, ribbed, in navy, red and gray, made from wool flannel fabric; sizes up to 6 years. Black, brown, red, navy and gray. **.69c**

GLOVES

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

75c Women's Kid Gloves—Fine, soft skins, one row embroidery, in tan, brown, gray and black. **.49c**

$1.00 Women's Cape Gloves—One clasp, in tan, brown, gray and black. **.65c**

$1.50 Women's Pique Kid Gloves—Tan and two-tone, some heavy embroidered backs, in navy, brown, gray, taupe, tan, black and champagne.

Up to $1.50 Women's Kid Gloves—In Two-clasp, Paris point and Pique; embroidered backs, some heavy embroidered backs, in navy, brown, gray, taupe, tan, black and champagne. **.79c**

$1.00 Women's Kid Gloves—Fine genuine French kid (The Pointer, Paris point), two clasp, in tan, brown, gray, heliotrope or self, tan, gray and white. **.69c**

$3.00 16-Button Length Kid Gloves—In white only, at. **1.89**

$2.50 Long Kid Gloves—16-button length, undressable style, at. **1.69**

$1.50 Silk Lisle Gloves—Two clasp, Paris point embroidered backs, in tan, brown, gray, navy, black and white. **.98c**

$1.00 Children's Mocha Gloves—In gray with silk lining, at. **.69c**

50c Children's Kid Mittens—In tan and black. **.39c**

$1.00 Men's Kid Gloves—Pique sewn, in tan, brown and black. **.69c**

$1.00 Men's Cape Gloves—Silk lined, in tan, brown, gray and black. **.65c**

$1.00 Women's Long Silk Gloves—White, 16-button length, double finger tips, undressable style, at. **.65c**

25c Women's Chamoisette Gloves—2-clasp, wash perfectly, natural chamois color and gray. **.19c**

DRESS GOODS

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

$2.00 Imported Poplins—Shades of navy, brown, wine, tan, gray and black, all wool, 46 inches wide, at. **1.25**

$3.00 Imported Cloths—Beautiful finish for black, beautifully marked, 56 inches wide, at. **1.79**

$2.50 German Broadcloth—Full line of street shades, including navy, brown, garnet and green, perfect in weave and finish, 54 inches wide, at. **1.79**

7c to $1.50 Dress Goods—All kinds and remnant pieces, large variety of colorings and weaves, in wool, cotton and mixtures, 2 to 6 yards, 12 to 50 inch, at. **.49c**

75c Cheviot Suiting—In navy, brown, green and gray, 54 inches wide, at. **.59c**

75c Panama—In navy and Street patterns, with handsome color combinations, at. **.59c**

69c Shepherd Check Suitings—In navy, brown, green and gray, 54 inches wide, at. **.39c**

$1.25 Diagonal Suiting—In navy and black, 54 inches wide, at. **.79c**

$1.25 Worsted Diagonal—In navy, brown, green and gray, 42 inches wide, at. **.79c**

59c Black Storm Serge—All wool, 42 inches wide, at. **.39c**

$1.00 Lenina Prunella—Imported, in black only, 42 inches wide, at. **.68c**

$1.25 Diagonal Worsted—Absolutely fast black, finish sewn, 54 inches wide, at. **.79c**

$1.50 Black Crepe Tussah—Of excellent and desired construction, elegant finish, 42 inches wide, at. **.98c**

$2.00 Fancy Broadcloth—Imported, in black only, 54 inches wide, at. **1.29**

$2.50 Black German Broadcloth—Handsome finish and good finish, specially adapted for suits and coats, 54 inches wide, at. **1.69**

$3.00 Black German Broadcloth—Finest Australian yarns, pure dye, spot proof, imported and made in London style, at. **2.19**

$1.25 Mohair Brilliantine—In black only, medium weight, all wool, 42 inches wide, at. **.79c**

WOMEN'S BATHROBES

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$5.00 Blanket Bath Robes—Made from pattern, pure wool, taffeta trimmed, rope girdle. **3.75**

SHOES

(Street Floor—Hamilton Place Annex)

$2.50 Women's Shoes—Custom make, lace and button styles with Spanish soles and Cuban heels, in all regular sizes and 12 widths, at. **1.55**

$2.00 Black Velvet Slippers—Of Women's black velvet party and evening slippers, in a variety of new styles and effects in ornaments, at. **1.29**

$1.00 Men's Slippers—Roomy fit and comfort, in the popular Everett style, with leather sewed soles, all sizes. **.77c**

$1.19 Women's Slippers—Of soft vici kid, turned soles, trimmed, flexible foot and comfort fitting, all sizes. **.89c**

50c Slumber Socks—Heavy elastic ribbed, in red, with two black rubber soles and women's sizes. All principal sizes. **.37c**

Women's Overgaiters—In black only, at. **2.49**

$2.50 to $2.75 Girls' High Top Boots—With button hooks with cuff top, in black only, in spring heel and flexible soles, in sizes 11 to 2. **1.39**

Sizes 12 to 2	1.59
Sizes 9 to 11	1.79

$2.25 to $2.75 Boys' Storm Boots—High top soles and stating heels in tan and black, with buckle and button, in all regulation sizes. **1.55**

Sizes 12 to 2	1.69
Sizes 9 to 11	1.95

65c Women's Rubbers—In storm and low styles in shapes to fit all the popular lasts, at. **.49c**

$1.00 Child's Boy Leggins—Fine quality, ribbed, in navy, red and gray, made from wool flannel fabric; sizes up to 6 years. Black, brown, red, navy and gray. **.69c**

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$1.50 Women's Pique Kid Gloves—Tan and two-tone, some heavy embroidered backs, in navy, brown, gray, taupe, tan, black and champagne.

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$3.00 16-Button Length Kid Gloves—In white only, at. **1.89**

$2.50 Long Kid Gloves—16-button length, undressable style, at. **1.69**

$1.50 Silk Lisle Gloves—Two clasp, Paris point embroidered backs, in tan, brown, gray, navy, black and white. **.98c**

$1.00 Children's Mocha Gloves—In gray with silk lining, at. **.69c**

50c Children's Kid Mittens—In tan and black. **.39c**

$1.00 Men's Kid Gloves—Pique sewn, in tan, brown and black. **.69c**

$1.00 Men's Cape Gloves—Silk lined, in tan, brown, gray and black. **.65c**

$1.00 Women's Long Silk Gloves—White, 16-button length, double finger tips, undressable style, at. **.65c**

25c Women's Chamoisette Gloves—2-clasp, wash perfectly, natural chamois color and gray. **.19c**

DRESS GOODS

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

$2.00 Imported Poplins—Shades of navy, brown, wine, tan, gray and black, all wool, 46 inches wide, at. **1.25**

$3.00 Imported Cloths—Beautiful finish for black, beautifully marked, 56 inches wide, at. **1.79**

$2.50 German Broadcloth—Full line of street shades, including navy, brown, garnet and green, perfect in weave and finish, 54 inches wide, at. **1.79**

7c to $1.50 Dress Goods—All kinds and remnant pieces, large variety of colorings and weaves, in wool, cotton and mixtures, 2 to 6 yards, 12 to 50 inch, at. **.49c**

75c Cheviot Suiting—In navy, brown, green and gray, 54 inches wide, at. **.59c**

75c Panama—In navy and Street patterns, with handsome color combinations, at. **.59c**

69c Shepherd Check Suitings—In navy, brown, green and gray, 54 inches wide, at. **.39c**

$1.25 Diagonal Suiting—In navy and black, 54 inches wide, at. **.79c**

$1.25 Worsted Diagonal—In navy, brown, green and gray, 42 inches wide, at. **.79c**

59c Black Storm Serge—All wool, 42 inches wide, at. **.39c**

$1.00 Lenina Prunella—Imported, in black only, 42 inches wide, at. **.68c**

$1.25 Diagonal Worsted—Absolutely fast black, finish sewn, 54 inches wide, at. **.79c**

$1.50 Black Crepe Tussah—Of excellent and desired construction, elegant finish, 42 inches wide, at. **.98c**

$2.00 Fancy Broadcloth—Imported, in black only, 54 inches wide, at. **1.29**

$2.50 Black German Broadcloth—Handsome finish and good finish, specially adapted for suits and coats, 54 inches wide, at. **1.69**

$3.00 Black German Broadcloth—Finest Australian yarns, pure dye, spot proof, imported and made in London style, at. **2.19**

$1.25 Mohair Brilliantine—In black only, medium weight, all wool, 42 inches wide, at. **.79c**

WOMEN'S BATHROBES

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$5.00 Blanket Bath Robes—Made from pattern, pure wool, taffeta trimmed, rope girdle. **3.75**

MUSLIN AND LACE CURTAINS

(Fourth Floor—Washington Street Side)

50c Muslin Curtains—39c

$1.00 Muslin Curtains—Fine white and ecru, assorted designs, at. **.69c**

The Point Lace Curtains—In 3 yard length, at. **3.55**

$1.50 Bonnas Lace Curtains—Of the latest designs, at. **.98c**

$3.00 Bobbinet Curtains—At. **1.79**

$2.00 Madras Curtains—Handsome patterns, at. **1.39**

Scotch Lace Curtains—

2.00 curtains at	1.25
2.50 curtains at	1.59
3.00 curtains at	1.89
4.00 curtains at	2.69

$1.25 Muslin Curtains—In white and ecru, 3 yards long, 54 inches wide, at. **.89c**

50c Muslin Curtains—Fine quality, in white and ecru, at. **.59c**

$1.25 and $1.50 Figured Muslin Curtains, at. **.89c**

$2.25 Scrim Curtains, at. **1.59**

$3.00 Scrim Curtains, at. **2.19**

$6.50 Irish Point Lace Curtains—At. **3.98**

$5.00 Brussels Lace Curtains—At. **3.98**

YARN GOODS

(Street Floor—Hamilton Place Annex)

Odd Combinations—In pure wool, in a variety of Germantown yarns, at. **.39c**

72c Germantown Yarn—A series of German Saxony yarns and effects for making Bedspread Slippers—For ladies and misses, all colors, one roll top. **.74c**

$1.25 Bedspread Slippers—For ladies' and misses' Bedspread Slippers, in all colors, individually boxed, directions for making slippers. **.79c**

WOMEN'S SKIRTS

(Second Floor—Washington Street Side)

$5.00 Brunlectoh Skirts—Made from fine quality of Brunlectoh cloth, tailored model, extra and regular sizes. **3.75**

$5.00 Bedspun Skirts—Plain and novelty effects, pure wool, taffeta trimmed, new and regular sizes. **3.75**

MARABOUT PIECES

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

$8.98 Marabout Capes and Muffs—Capes 2 yards long with tails, muffs to the correct pillow shape, shirred and full, at. **6.49**

Special price for set. **11.98**

$7.50 Marabout Stoles—Fine imported quality, 3 strands and 3¼ yards long, in black only, at. **4.98**

$6.00 Marabout Stoles—Four strands and 3 yards long, in black and natural, at. **3.45**

BED FURNISHINGS

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

$5.50 White Wool Blankets—Large size, guaranteed every fleecy white pair. **4.29**

$2.00 Silkoline Tufted Comforters—Full size, at. **1.43**

65c Bleached Sheets—Single bed size, at. **49c**

85c "Gilchrist Standard" Sheets—Bleached, at. **.67c**

50c Cotton Sheeting—Bleached, 1-yard wide, at. **.39c**

12½c Continental Sheeting—Bleached. **9½c**

WASH GOODS

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

9c Outing Flannels—Striped and plaid effects, in light blue, pink and dark chalties, fancy patterns, at. **6½c**

6½c Percales—In small, neat patterns, at. **4½c**

6½c Printed Madras Waist Patterns—Fancy stripes, at. **3½c**

10c Printed Batiste Waist Patterns—Full length, in fancy patterns, at. **3½c**

TOWELS

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

15c Bleached Huck Towels—Hemstitched, at. **12½c**

TABLE LINENS

(Basement—Washington Street Side)

50c White Table Damask—Mercerized, at. **.38c**

The Irish Table Damask—Of good quality, half bleached all linen, 70 inch, at. **.49c**

2.00 Doz. Scotch Damask Napkins—Real all linen, size, at. **1.38**

ART LINENS

(Street Floor—Hamilton Place Annex)

Linen Squares—Hemstitched, size 36 inch size, at. **12½c**

$2.25 Table Covers—36-inch size, floral and conventional centers, at. **1.49**

$1.00 Renaissance Scarfs—Size 18x54 inches, 18-inch drawn centers, at. **.59c**

$1.00 Tea Cloths and Scarfs—Size 18x36 inches, Mexican drawn centers, at. **.59c**

$1.25 Lace Edge Scarfs—Size 18x54 inches, Mexican drawn centers, at. **.79c**

Lace Edge Doilies—Size 12 inches, at. **8c**

Doilies to Match Scarfs—With Mexican drawn centers.

6-inch size, at	10c
9-inch size, at	15c
12-inch size, at	21c
15-inch size, at	25c
18-inch size, at	35c

Hemstitched Drawn Irish Doilies—

10c—6-inch size, at	5c
15c—9-inch size, at	10c
25c—12-inch size, at	16c

TOILET GOODS

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

The Williams Combination Sets—At. **.59c**

$1.00 Pinaud's Toilet Sets—Hinds, at. **.69c**

50c Combination Tooth and Tooth Brush—At. **.39c**

$1.00 Traveling Cases—Leather, at. **.79c**

50c Wash or Face Cloths, 4 for. **.10c**

The Face Chamois—At. **.25c**

50c Tooth Paper—Imported, at. **.25c**

50c Crumb Tray and Scraper—Of ivory handles, at. **.39c**

HAND BAGS AND BELTS

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

50c, Crushed Velvet Belts—In black only, with nickel buckle, at. **.25c**

50c Elastic Belts—Individually boxed and finished with nickel buckle, at. **.39c**

50c Belts—Of Persian braids, with silk backs, at. **.39c**

$1.00 Hand Bags—Of fine pebble grain leather, in black only, at. **.69c**

$2.00 Hand Bags—Of grain leather, in purse, full moire lined, solid brass frame, at. **1.49**

$6.00 Hand Bags—Of genuine seal grain leather, at. **3.98**

$3.50 Hand Bags—Of goat coat, with reinforcing top, at. **2.49**

JEWELRY

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

25c Fancy Hair Pins—Assorted, with full line of Hair Trimmings, at. **.19c**

The American Taffeta Umbrellas—Fancy handles, in plain, fancy and mission styles, at. **.59c**

$2.25 Fine Silk Umbrellas—Fancy match and silk tassel, close roll and 4-fold, at. **1.49**

$3.00 Union Silk Umbrellas—Satin taffeta, fancy handles, in plain, fancy and extra long, plain and trimmed assorted styles, at. **1.85**

75c Children's Umbrellas—Fancy and 24-inch sizes, gun bit of handles, for boys and girls, in plain and fancy handles, at. **.55c**

WOMEN'S NECKWEAR

(Third Floor—Washington Street Side)

25c Boxed Neckwear—Jabots, stocks, ruffs and fancy collars, separate and attached, etc., each in box. **.18c**

12½c Embroidered Linen Collars—Large variety of patterns, also 12 to 15 inches, narrow or wide styles, at. **.9c**

50c Neckwear—Including Persian Lawn, Dutch collars, jabots and chemisettes, all new and desirable styles, at. **.25c**

25c Sample Neckwear—Stocks, jabots, Dutch collars and Persian Lawn chemisettes, Venise stocks and Dutch collars; at **12½c**

25c Embroidered Linen Collars—All sizes in a wide selection to choose from, at. **.19c**

VEILINGS

(Street Floor—Winter Street Side)

The 75c and $1.00 Sample Chiffon Veils—Variety of styles, square and 221 yards, black and colors, at. **.59c**

27½c Mesh Veilings—Small for, jumper and fancy effects, in black, brown, navy and magpie, also. **.9c**

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STATE'S WITNESS FAILS TO IDENTIFY LE BLANC HANDKERCHIEFS

POSITIVE ARTICLES SHOWN IN COURT NOT THOSE HE SAW IN LAUNDRY.

Study of Hattie Le Blanc in Court

ALSO TELLS OF CHANGES MADE IN THE ROOM AFTER GLOVER WAS SLAIN.

The following is the testimony given to-ness. He testified that he was superintendent in the Le Blanc murder trial in East Cambridge by Herbert L. Willey, manager of the Waltham Electric Company, questioned by Mr. Weir for the prosecution:

Q.—Did you go anywhere with him? A.—Yes, I went in an auto with him and a friend of mine named Mr. sawyer and another police officer. We went first to the Cambridge Hospital, then to the police station.

Didn't Search the Stable.

Then we went to West Newton police headquarters, and from there to Arlington dale. At Auburndale we searched the stable horn house.

Q.—Did you go into a carriage in Waltham? A.—I didn't.

Q.—On your return from the searching house in Auburndale where did you go? A.—We went into Auburndale and then went into another police station.

Q.—Where did you go from there? A.—We went from there to the police headquarters and then back to Waltham.

Q.—You went to and searched the house? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you search the guest chamber? A.—I went everywhere under all the beds!

Q.—Did you go into the stable? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you go in the loft or the cellar? A.—I went in the cellar of the house.

Q.—Did you look under the elt? A.—I went everywhere.

Q.—Mr. Glover with you during the search? A.—She followed us around on the living room floor and I think on the living room floor and the kitchen floor, but she didn't search the cellar.

The witness was then cross-examined.

Q.—Who put left the police station did you go to Mrs. Willey's? A.—No.

Searched With a Lamp.

Q.—Did you go to her house on Robbins street? A.—The police had covered that place on foot. I saw them coming up Robbins street.

Q.—When you searched the house what light did you have? A.—Mr. Proctor had a lamp and I think Sergeant Curran had lanterns and the gas was lighted in some of rooms.

Q.—Will you swear the gas was lighted in every room? A.—I would not swear to it.

Q.—Where were the people when you entered the house? A.—Curran and Mr. Kenna and the others were just ahead of us on the stairs.

Q.—When you went to the third floor what stairs did you use? A.—I think the ones from the back of the house.

Q.—You came down the same stairs? A.—Yes.

Mr. Wier then asked:

Q.—How many automobiles came from Auburndale to the Glover house? A.—Mr. Proctor had an auto with his son and a Mr. Adams, and we went in Mr. Sawyer's auto.

Q.—In what auto did Curran go to the house? A.—With Mr. Willey.

Q.—Did Curran and McKenna go to the house in the same auto with you? A.—Yes.

Q.—Was Curran in the house when you and McKenna got there? A.—We all went together.

Had Sufficient Light.

Q.—Was there light enough to see every where in the house when you searched? A.—Yes.

Q.—Do you remember hitters being read in Hartley court? A.—No.

Q.—Have you anything about the letters? A.—Mr. Willett, superintendent of the Waltham laundry was the next witness called by the state.

Mr. Willett testified that he was superintendent of the Le Blanc laundry on November 29, 1909, and had charge of the inside workings of the laundry and has been employed there since then.

Q.—Was there any change in any part of the laundry since November, 1909? A.—There was in the room upstairs where the ironing was done. The partition had been moved back and the room made smaller, which was formerly used for drying.

The witness then testified that he opened the laundry on the morning of November 30, and that he went down to the basement and found Glover's body. He said he went to the office and again went into the laundry and into a room where he picked up a comb and a pin.

Q.—Did you show them to the police? A.—I bookmarks on the floor.

Attorney Johnson moved that the word "floor" be stricken from the record and the court ordered him.

Q.—Where were those marks? A.—At one of the stalls near the collar machine.

Q.—How many marks were there? A.—There were quite a few of them. They covered a space about two and a half feet wide, were circular in form in the dust.

Q.—You know when the floor was washed there? A.—I think on Saturday of the week before we found the body. I saw the marks there Saturday morning. They were there many days. There were probably thirty days. I first called my attention attracted to them after the body was found.

Q.—Did you find a comb there? A.—Yes.

Q.—Where did you find it? A.—At the end of the collar machine under the pulley guard.

Two Conflicting Witnesses.

Q.—Did you find anything else? A.—Yes, I found a pin under the end of the same table.

Q.—The witness was then shown photographs and on them he indicated where he found the articles. Q.—Where was the comb and the pin

Q.—Did you see the comb? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you ever see this pin? A.—It looks like it.

Q.—Did you identify it as the pin? A.—It looks like it, but I wouldn't swear to it.

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TAFT IN MESSAGE SAYS "REVISE TARIFF SCHEDULE BY SCHEDULE"

DECLARES COMPLETE REVISION OF THE ACT WOULD MEAN BUSINESS STAGNATION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—President Taft's message, communicated to-day to the 61st Congress is, in part, as follows:

To the Senate and House of Representatives:

During the past year the foreign relations of the United States have continued upon a basis of friendship and good understanding.

The year has been noticeable as witnessing the pacific settlement of two important international controversies before the Permanent Court of The Hague. The arbitration of the Fisheries dispute between the United States and Great Britain, which has been the source of nearly continuous diplomatic correspondence since the Fisheries Convention of 1818, has given an award which is satisfactory to both parties. I should be wanting in proper recognition of a great patriotic service if I did not refer to the lucid historical analysis of the facts and the signal ability and force of argument—six days in length—presented to the Court in support of our case by Mr. Elihu Root.

Recognition of New Republic of Portugal.

In October last the monarchy in Portugal was overthrown, a provisional republic was proclaimed, and a form was set up de facto government, which was promptly recognized by the Government of the United States for purposes of ordinary intercourse pending formal recognition by this and other powers of the government entitle to be duly established by the national sovereignty.

The International Bureau of American Republics is doing a broad and useful work for Pan American commerce and progress. Its duties were much enlarged by the International Conference of American States at Buenos Ayres in 1910, and it is endeavored to be the more practical and expressive term of Pan American Union.

There has been signed by the representatives of the United States and Mexico a protocol submitting to the United States-Mexican Boundary Commission further membership for the purpose of their decision as to whether or not any undue discrimination existed against the United States in the rates and charges in any country of the world with which we sustained commercial relations.

In the case of several countries investigated by the commission discriminations of apparent importance were found to exist. These discriminations have been removed by negotiations. Prior to April 1, 1910, when the maximum tariff to become into operation, the maximum rates of importations from all those countries with whose foreign governments applying the minimum tariff should be issued by the President, one hundred per cent of such proclamations were issued. This series of proclamations included nearly all our commercial world, and hence the minimum tariff of 1909 has, in practice, been given universal application, thus testifying to the satisfactory character of our trade relations with foreign countries.

Marked Advantages to American Commerce

Marked advantages to the commerce of the United States were obtained through these tariff settlements. Foremost is the fact that under the provision of the tariff act the President is required, whenever he is satisfied of the treatment accorded by them to the products of the United States in the countries to which he extends the benefits of the minimum tariff of the United States, to withdraw those benefits by proclamation giving ninety days' notice, after which time the minimum tariff will apply to their importations of the dutiable products of the United States. In its general operation this section of the tariff law has thus become a guaranty of continued commercial peace, although there are, however, unfortunately, a few instances where foreign governments are illegal arbitrarily with American interests within their jurisdiction, which are injurious and inequitable.

The policy of broader and closer trade relations with the Dominion of Canada which was initiated in the tariff act of 1909 by the minimum and minimum provisions of the Taft-Fielding law, and which found in the Tariff act mutually beneficial. It justifies further efforts for the betterment of the commercial relations of the two countries, so that their commerce may flow in the channel of its continuous course, and be commensurate with the steady expansion of trade and intercourse on both sides of the boundary line. The reciprocity section of the Dominion Act of the Government of the sentiment which was expressed by this Government in the Canadian Parliament by the suggestion that it would be glad to have its negotiations which had been temporarily suspended during the Summer resumed. In accordance with this suggestion the Secretary of State, by my direction, appointed three representatives of the Department of State as special commissioners to Ottawa to confer with representatives of the Dominion Government. They were authorized to take such steps for formulating a reciprocal trade agreement as might be necessary and to receive and consider any proposals which the Dominion Government might care to submit.

Question of Reciprocity with Canadian Neighbors.

Pursuant to the instructions based conferences were held by these commissioners with officials of the Dominion Government at Ottawa in the early part of November.

The negotiations were conducted on both sides in a spirit of mutual accommodation. The discussion of the common commercial interests of the two countries had for its object a satisfactory basis for a trade arrangement, with the early prospect of a freer interchange for the products of the United States and of Canada. The conferences were adjourned to be resumed in Washington in January, when it is hoped that the aspiration of both governments for a mutually advantageous measure of reciprocity will be realized.

All these tariff negotiations, so vital to our commerce and industry, and the duty of jealously guarding and promoting and just treatment of our products, capital and industries, have been conducted by the Department of State.

The Argentine battleship contracts, like the subsequent important one for Argentine railway equipment, and those for Cuban government vessels, were secured for our manufacturers largely through the good offices of the Department of State.

The efforts of that Department to secure for citizens of the United States equal opportunities in the markets of the world and to expand American commerce have been most successful. The volume of business obtained in new fields of competition and upon new lines is already very great and Congress is urged to continue to support the Department of State in its endeavors for further trade expansion.

Foreign Trade Merits Support of Government.

Our foreign trade merits the best support of the Government and the most earnest endeavor of our manufacturers and merchants, who, if they do not already in all cases need a foreign market, are certain soon to become dependent on it. Therefore, now is the time to secure a strong position in this field.

I can not leave this subject without emphasizing the necessity of providing, as will make possible and convenient the establishment of American banks and branches of American banks in foreign countries. Only by such means can our foreign trade be favorably financed, necessary credits be arranged, and proper avail be made of commercial opportunities in foreign countries, and most especially in Latin America.

Another instrumentality indispensable to the unhampered and natural development of American commerce is merchant marine. All maritime and commercial nations regulate the importance of this factor. The greatest commercial nations, our competitors, jealously foster their merchant marine. Their governments are interested for rapid and direct mail, passenger and freight communication quite so urgent as between the United States and Latin America.

I alluded to this most important subject in my last annual message; it has often been before the Congress and the country, and I will not repeat the reasons for its recommendation. Unless prompt action be taken the speech of the Hon. Joseph W. Fordney in this the only great commercial nation which does not aid in some substantial way the business of this great contribution to the upbuilding of the commerce of interest.

I refer again to the commercial aspect, unless we retain a merchant marine where can we find the officers and seamen for our naval reserve and where could we find, in case of war, the transports and auxiliaries that would be needed for a naval fleet is arms without a body. For many reasons, which are strongly urged upon the Congress the passage of a measure to encourage in the rates of ocean mail service to guarantee the establishment and rapid development of an adequate merchant marine, the restoration of the American flag to its ancient place upon the seas.

Extension of Civil Service to Diplomacy.

The excellent results which have attended the partial application of civil service principles to the diplomatic and consular services are an earnest of the benefit to be brought by a wider and more permanent extension of those principles to both branches of the foreign service.

Every effort has been made by each department chief to reduce the estimated cost of his department for the ensuing fiscal year, and I am strongly urged in this in order that Congress may understand that these estimates thus made present the lowest sum with which it will retain the departments, bureaus and offices of the government and carry forth its obligations under existing law, and that any cut of any estimate would result in embarrassing the executive branch of the government in the proper discharge of its duties. This remark does not apply to the river and harbor estimates, which are for the improvement and maintenance and the meeting of obligations under authorized contracts, but for the use by the public bill nor to the navy building program.

Canal Fortification May Mean a Deficit.

The final estimates for the year ending June 30, 1912, as they have been sent to the Treasury, on November 29 of this year, for the ordinary expenses of the government, including those for public buildings, rivers and harbors, and the navy building program, amount to $693,-494,913.12. This is $52,964,887.26 less than the appropriations for the year ending June 30, 1911. It is $16,883,153.-44 less than the total estimates, including supplemental estimates submitted to December 1 of last year, for the year 1911, and is $5,574,650.39 less than the original estimates submitted by the Treasury in 1910.

These figures do not include the appropriations for the Panama Canal, the policy in respect to which ought to be, as I have before said, to provide such as can be economically and effectively expended in order to complete the work promptly as possible, and, therefore, the estimates for the year ending June 30, expense of the Government does not apply to appropriations for the Panama Canal. The original estimates for the Panama Canal for the ensuing year, as presented, are $35,000,000 dollars, an increase of twenty millions over the amount appropriated for this year, which increase due to the fact that the estimates for 1911 included the sum of twenty millions for the fortification of the canal.

Against the appropriations of $630,404,913.12, the Treasury estimated receipts for the fiscal year 1912 of $604,-000,000, leaving a probable surplus of ordinary receipts over ordinary expenditures of $4,595,086.88. To this surplus of receipts estimates for the Panama Canal, which will probably be paid in bonds, it will leave approximately be paid in bonds, it will leave a deficit of $15,404,913.12, or $20,000,000, if Congress shall conclude to fortify the canal. The cost of the fortifications is about $19,000,000. Should there be no appropriation this year for fortifications, then there would be, even including the Panama Canal appropriation, a surplus of about $12,000,000, according to Treasury estimates.

Present Tariff Bill Great Revenue Measure.

As the Treasury Department is the one through which the income of the Government is collected and its expenditures disbursed, this office has been called upon to consider the operation of the existing tariff bill, which became a law August 5, 1909. As an income-producing measure, the existing tariff bill has never been exceeded by any customs bill in the history of the country.

The corporation excise tax, proportioned to the net income of the country, has worked well. The tax has been collected with little friction. The tax has been collected with little friction. The tax has been collected with little friction

PASTOR'S VIEWS ABOUT WOMEN

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Human beings rise or fall to the level of their love, declares the Rev. Dr. Christian F. Reisner, pastor of the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church. "Any woman who lavishes her whole affection upon a dog sinks to the level of an animal.

"Women who wear rhinestones simply only safe to attract attention through them, so they obtain from others exactly what they seek—no more.

"Do you know there was a wedding in this city a few days ago where the bride had duck feathers in her hair?

"Do not misunderstand me. I don't mean to say it is a sin to love animals, or to lavish affection upon them. I have a canary to care for myself. I love dogs, too. My baby and I have a dog and a cat, while all about my house are the barking chickens, guineas, ducks and the like. I am fond of animals myself, but I am human.

"If each of the women who [illegible] dies and runs to the dogs should take one and each of the men [illegible] and love him, how much little there would be made public.

"As I pass and repass in the hallway I meet many women. Where the real harm comes in is when the entire affection is lavished upon the dog. For I tell you it is time true the each is the accidental of our society.

"As to the women canine mothers, hence and life of ease, sticking plaster on her face, and not to be judged according to her age, I simply say, 'Judge.' In this life we should exactly the things for which we suffer. He strikes in a manner that attracts attention to our clothes, in which I see nothing wrong, and to our faces. There is nothing wrong about so worth a glance of either amalgamation or riddance.

WANTS STATE TO TAKE THE B. & M.

A petition filed with the Secretary of State by Herbert F. Keith of Framingham asks for legislation to authorize the commonwealth to take and hold the stock of the Boston Railroad Holding Company and of the Boston & Maine Railroad which it controls. The measure after being advertised will go to the Legislature for action.

EXPRESS PLUNGES INTO FARMYARD

NEW MILFORD, Ct., Dec. 6.—The Pittsfield express from New York ran into an open switch at Merrittfield, near here, Ct., taking the engine and two forlorn cars over a fifteen-foot embankment into a ditch and within less than parents five feet of the front door of the residence of Christopher Merrittfield. The train carried probably two passengers. Twenty women fainted and two men were injured.

FIRE BREAKS UP CAMBRIDGE FAIR

Fire broke out on the second floor of the Avon Club of Cambridge when empty boxes and packing cases that had been thrown into a fireplace burst into flame. The fair was being held in the residence of Mrs. Gertrude Beard, No. 12 Lincoln street, North Cambridge. When the fire started there was a rush to the street on the part of the score of young women in charge of the fair.

OLNEY ORATOR AT FULLER MEMORIAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Memorial ceremonies in honor of the late Chief Justice Fuller are to be held next Saturday in the Supreme Court of the United States. Richard Olney of Massachusetts will preside and deliver an address.

SCHOONER OFF ROCKS

SALEM, Dec. 6.—The abandoned schooner, Mary Brewer, bound from Bangor to Salem, which was discovered high and dry on the rocks of South Scituate, near Minot Islands, Cape Cod, was floated off the shoal by towing at high tide and towed into this harbor. The vessel was badly strained and was leaking considerably.

EDWIN ROBINSON DEAD

Edwin Robinson, a former president of the Boston Stock and Exchange Exchange, and one of the most prominent citizens of Winchester, is dead at his home, aged sixty-two years. Mr. Robinson was for many years in business on South Market street, Boston. In Winchester he held several town offices, and was prominent as a Mason.

THIEF LOOTS QUINCY LIBRARY

Frightened away by the sound of the footsteps of an approaching policeman, a thief was surprised in the office of the Thomas Crane public library at Quincy early today and having behind him a bundle of books and a half dozen solid silver spoons, stamped with the initials of Miss Alice G. Webb, assistant librarian, and several small articles of jewelry, the property of Miss White.

Policeman David Farrell was walking by the rear of the building about 1 a. m. when he noticed a light in the basement window. Farrell picked up a cold chisel and a hammer and proceeded to the rear door, went inside, but found everything quiet. He then returned to the front and discovered that a window in the rear had been broken.

The policeman informed Chief of Police Hall of the break and both made an investigation of the library. They found the office ransacked, desks broken open and books scattered about. The thief evidently was after the "mad" money, amounting to about $25, which is usually kept in the office. He missed this, but found Miss White's bag.

Chief Burrill is of opinion that the break was made by the same man who has followed several thieves in this section re-

FRANCIS H. BURR'S FUNERAL TO-DAY

Funeral services for Francis Henry Burr were held this morning at Appleton Chapel in the Memorial Church. The services were of the simple Episcopal ritual and were conducted by Rev. William Lawrence. The College choir rendered appropriate selections and Lee School between 12 and 1 o'clock. The pallbearers were members of the class of 1900, with which Burr graduated. They were Frederick Winsor, Jr., Frederick Simpkins, C. D. Shaw, C. F. Denny, Sam Hill, W. C. Cabot and W. Cabot and Roland S. T. Beal, all interested will be at Newburyport, N. H.

WILLIAM SHARROCK DEAD IN LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Dec. 6.—William Sharrock, a veteran of the Civil War and for many years a member of the Lawrence common council, died at his home, No. 66 Union street. He was born in Blackburn, Eng., in 1834 and came to this country when a boy of 12. He served in the Civil War, and was a member of the Common Council in the early eighties and later was appointed to the board of assessors, which he filled eighteen years. He gave up active work several years ago.

TEST TORPEDOES IN NARRANGANSETT BAY

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 6.—Some night interesting Whitehead torpedo firing tests will be made in the bay every day now off Prudence Island in Narragansett Bay by the gun practice vessel and will continue until the first of January. These experiments are made by the famous old Kearsarge with a class of engine gunners under Chief Gunner Hiram W. Cowell. When the tug started there was a rush to the street on the part of the score of young women in charge of the fair.

The work is that of testing out a lot of torpedoes for use on board of the big battleships. The torpedoes are fired 10,000 yards distance. First, 5,000 yards second, 7,000 yards third, 9,000 yards at about eight-knot speed an hour, and 4,000 yards at twenty-six or twenty-eight knots an hour.

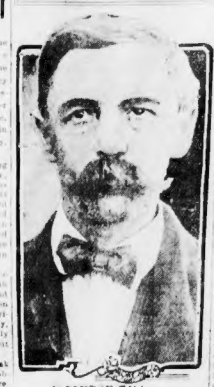
DREXEL RESIGNS AFTER APOLOGY

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—The resignation of J. Armstrong Drexel from the Aero Club of America has been accepted by the directors, together with his apology for his severe criticism he made of the club's management of the international aero meet at Paris and its treatment of the foreign aviators entered.

BOSTON CIGAR EXHIBIT.

Boston-made cigars will be exhibited in a committee room of the Boston Chamber of Commerce Building from January 2 to 16 and all members are invited to visit it. Exhibitors said business men in other lines of trade to know of the brands made here and to stimulate local demand for the local product. It is in line with the efforts being made to increase business for Boston manufacturers. Local manufacturers are asked to display samples of their goods.

ALBERT F. BALL ON TRIAL TO-DAY FOR KILLING FRIEND



ALBERT F. BALL

BALL ON TRIAL FOR LIFE TO-DAY

CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 6.—Albert F. Ball is placed on trial here today for the murder of his friend and benefactor, Charles N. Fellows on November 22, 1909. A special venire of seventy-five men has been summoned from which the jury will be picked.

The crime of which Mr. Ball is accused occurred November 22, 1909. Fellows was shot in his own door yard and so far as known never uttered a word after the fatal shot struck him except "I am shot," addressed to his wife who rushed to the door upon hearing the report of a revolver. The footprints of the supposed murderer in the snow from the house to a point, of which plaster casts were taken, are exactly the same as the footprints of Ball. The defense in an important factor in the trial, the state contending that they correspond with those of Ball.

Attorney-General Edwin G. Eastman of Exeter, and County Solicitor Thomas F. Ilford of Franklin, will conduct the case for the State and Ball will be defended by Nathaniel E. Martin and John M. Stark of Concord. Chief Justice Robert M. Wallace and Judge William A. Plummer will preside.

SPENT STEALINGS ON BROADWAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Thomas H. Wilkins, thirty years old, and thrifty, as his wife and child were accustomed to believe, brought his career as manager of a Broadway automobile concern to a close in the West Forty-seventh Street Police Station, where he surrendered himself after his employers had begun an investigation of his books. When they asked Wilkins, after finding what seemed to be a shortage approximating $5,000, on the first day's hunt, what he had done with the money, he pointed down Broadway. "The White Light district got every cent of it," he said, "treating and buying a drink, and I started with nothing but a report of the sale of a pair of tires for $150 and it ended—well, that stack of orders in my desk aren't real orders. They are fictitious orders, made to cover real orders a year and may be two years back."

HEBBERD PICKED FOR DAME'S PLACE

The children's institution department trustees' choice for superintendent of the West Roxbury Parental School to succeed Dana P. Dame is John H. Hebberd of No. 86 High street, Medford, an instructor at the Newton Technical High School, according to information given at City Hall. Superintendent Dame is still in charge of the school, and there is every likelihood he will remain there until January 1, in compliance with Mayor Fitzgerald's instructions.

NOW THE "HOBBLE" WILL BE BANISHED

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 6.—The powers that be in the world of women's styles have put down the authoritative foot on the "hobble" pending the choice of President Buchhan's successor. A committee of five dressers of which Mr. Lyman is chairman will select the new president from a list of names informally considered by the board.

LYMAN ACTING VERMONT HEAD

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 6.—Elliot Lyman of the Board of Trustees has been elected president of the University of Vermont pending the choice of President Buckham's successor. A committee of five trustees of which Mr. Lyman is chairman will select the new president from a list of names informally considered by the board.

THE STORY OF FATHER JOHN'S

Fifty years ago Rev. Father John O'Brien of Lowell, Mass., recommended to his parishioners and friends the prescription that restored him to health and strength, so the people named it Father John's Medicine. It cures colds, heals throat and lungs and builds up the body.

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URGES BALLOT TO AID MODERN HOUSEWIFE

Jesse Lynch Williams thinks the modern woman needs the ballot to help her new sphere of duty and that there never was a time when mothers were so intelligent and when wives studied government more seriously than now. He does not display much admiration for the vanity, pleading creature who constitutes the petty side of the modern feminine mind. The Married Life of the Feminist Cavalier he describes the efforts of a new fashioned woman to be an old fashioned wife, and he has more to say in a special article in the current number of the Ladies' Home Journal. "A Common Sense View of Woman Suffrage," he says:

The Old-Fashioned Wife

The old-fashioned wife did not clamor for the vote. Why not?

Well, for one thing she had a great many other matters on her mind. In addition to bearing about a dozen children, and rearing as many of them as survived, she had to spin and weave and make soap.

Either with her own hands or as foreman of an establishment as complex, as far as a modern department store, was an active factor and a decisive factor in nearly everything because of the home.

That husband produced the raw materials she turned them into finished products. Miss White's bag is very different and practical way. They worked together, they complemented each other's efforts, they understood each other's jobs, and the home was a self-sufficient, self-sustaining unit.

Nowadays? Since the home economist really is on a unit at all. In the industrial sense the home is going out of business, spinning wheels are now quaint antiques, and a few other things are being done and rather dead. Even spinsters can no longer pursue the calling which elected so experts trained for that purpose. Wives do not, cannot, except in rare cases, share their husband's occupations. Because their husband's occupations, in other words, nearly all the old fashioned methods of efficient ministration for efficient husband for efficient wife, except the most elementary, have gone with the home. And they have gone to the

Modern Woman Bewildered.

It will be seen that Mr. Williams attributes the old-fashioned wife to her proper place, which was apparently the days of our great grandmothers. He continues:

We might as well make the best of it. The old woman's duty and pleasure is no longer in the old-fashioned way. She will simply have to do it in a new fashioned way, or else salvage her job. Nothing now comes by nature, as a good housekeeper must see that it is good will. Free from typhoid germs.

Since the children are now taught at school a deterrent they must at least owe to those schools their methods, their education, their playgrounds.

Now, as a matter of fact, the average modern woman is willing to be a good wife, a devoted mother. She is feverishly ambitious. It seems to be a fad nowadays especially among my sex and professions, to decry the modern woman as a frivolous butterfly.

There never was a time when mothers spoiled, now that it has broken out of the house! Directly or indirectly all the traditional responsibilities are now shaped and determined by the government. The government is controlled by politicians. Politicians are controlled by the ballot.

"If any woman should not vote it simply to say that she should not be in with what the world is now facing. Her responsibilities. It is simply to say that she should not be here to help the ballot necessary to put through the laws which will turn out to her, and for which we hold her accountable. In fine, that her sphere is no longer the home, if merely the home.

DARTMOUTH MEN FORM AERO CLUB

HANOVER, N. H., Dec. 6.—Dartmouth College students have enrolled in the list of aeronautical societies of the country by forming the Dartmouth Aero Club, electing officers and going to buy a glider for experimental purposes during the present month. The new club starts off with fifty active and one hundred associate members. The officers are—President, J. W. Pearson of Claremont, N. H.; vice-president, L. P. Hall of Ann Arbor, Mich.; secretary, Richard Paul of Buffalo; treasurer, J. M. Mathes of Dover, N. H.

BATONYI REPLEVIN SUITS SETTLED

NEWPORT, R. I., December 6.—Some settlement or agreement has been reached in the replevin suits of Aured Batonyi, the noted whip, and his former wife, Mrs. Berha Roche, which have been standing before the courts here for some time. The two cases come before the Superior Court on motions to assign, but when the cases were called there was a discontinuance order entered.

OLD EMPLOYES CARNEGIE'S GUESTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Twenty-one of the oldest employes of the Pennsylvania Railroad, many of them pensioners, took tea with Andrew Carnegie in the big library of his home on Fifth avenue. They were sent here from Philadelphia by the railroad company to see the new Pennsylvania station in Manhattan and called on Mr. Carnegie at his invitation. Some of the guests are high in the world of business now. Others are not, but all met on the equal footing of old friendships and discussed old times over Mr. Carnegie's tea table.

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Special District Prizes (R. I. and Conn.)	120.00
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CONTEST DIRECTOR'S DAILY STORY

Watch this column carefully from day to day, as the BOSTON AMERICAN will announce here some day this week a SPECIAL CHRISTMAS PRIZE OFFER to regularly enrolled contestants. It will interest every boy or girl who is enrolled.

Have YOU sent in twenty-five NEW ENROLLMENTS yet? If not, get busy, and get one of the prizes; they are worth while.

You can enter this contest at any time. Back pictures from the first day of the contest will be sent on request to Educational Director.

Send for a catalogue at once, if you have not yet done so. Each booklet contains the CORRECT answers to each picture puzzle in this contest. It will help you wonderfully.

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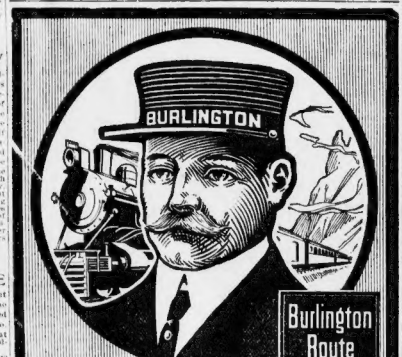

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BERNHARDT GREATEST OF WOMEN, SAYS DALE

By ALAN DALE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Come that timid luxury of trying to "find Bernhardts." Stop the futile pastime of announcing the birth of a new Sarah. There are no new Bernhardts. There will be no new Bernhardts for a time at least. There is one—unique, divine, adorable, and she was with us last night at the Globe Theatre in Rostand's "L'Aiglon" to give us perhaps the most haffingly wonderful performance of her career. If Sarah had never proved her divinity before, she settled the question forever last night.

Morbid curiosity-mongers, impelled by the glittering notion of watching a woman of sixty-seven in the impersonation of a stripling who died from phthisis at the end of twenty-one, were there to note the ruthless passage of years; to mark the end of the "exit d'or" that has carried the French language into the nooks and crannies of the world. Mortuary curiosity-mongers, ready to sing "Ichabod, the glory hath departed!"

Well, it hath NOT! Even in a decade has Bernhardt given a performance as matchlessly magnificent as that which electrified her audience last night. Opera-glassed, or even interrogated, her eternal youth—that gift of the gods—hit me in the eye. The slender figure, alert, vif, dominant, vigorous, full of sun, and verdure; the wonderful play of all the emotions that made her mobile features beautiful, and, lastly, the "golden voice," with its rise and fall, its crescendo and its diminuendo, its marvelous "carrying quality," its soft and feline purr, giving place to the rasp of terror and the stress of anger, made these curiosity-mongers sit up and rub their eyes.

Just in "Lovely Youth."

Of age—not a vestige, not a symptom, not a suspicion. The horror of senility—a horror that haunts us all—had passed her by. She frolicked and she coquetted, she posed in the cozy attributes of lovely youth—she was the youngest thing on the stage—and they were all her juniors. Through everything she did her genius shone, luminous, resplendent and infinitely indomitable—that quality that dolls call "the power of taking infinite pains"—that quality that is recognized intuitively by the soul.

"The silver livery of advised age" was not for Sarah. What we call "autumnal maturity" she had rejected in something unnecessary. The youth that goes from nineteen women out of twenty when they are fifteen years younger than Sarah, stood before us authoritative, immortal and amazing.

Wonderful, wonderful Sarah! As she bowed, with her stained glass smile, to the politely applaudsive audience that greeted her first entrance.

It was little more than polite, inquisitive, interrogative—some of its day back in our seats and—signed, I did. I felt I might have an odious duty to perform, for I love Sarah. Yet I may not perform my soul. Why? Ask me something easier. I sighed. On with the play!

And on it went! I sat there gradually dumfounded. I have seen Sarah for years and years—everywhere. But, on my honor, I never saw her in finer and more electric form than last night. History repeated itself. I sat there hanging on her words, willing in that wonderful voice, lost in utter admiration of the grace of her gesture, the subtlety of her art—the inexhaustible wonder of her resources.

Most Wonderful Woman.

She played Rostand's idyllic Duc de Reichstadt in her own feminine way. It was neither virile nor illusive, but it was Sarah, with all the glory of her past and the wealth of her astonishing experience. It was Sarah delighting us with the majesty of the French language and proving to us once again that acting is an art. And what an art! There are times when I loathe my calling and rebel at the thought of dissecting some of the monstrous parades on acting that I see.

Last night my soul rejoiced. With opera glasses glued to my eyes, I sat and watched for the hundredth time the most wonderful woman in the world. Every illusion—or nearly every illusion—was there. Perhaps the sinuous, serpent-form signed, had doubled in weight. It was scarcely noticeable.

The little Duc sat on the edge of the table, In the pose of nineteen years. Absolutely perfect! The little hand dandled his lessons with the childish sincerity of nineteen years. Absolutely perfect! The little Duc cuddled up in boyish—or girlish—enthusiasm to the arrest of Marie Louise. Absolutely perfect! In fact, the gift of wonderful thing that persists, that endures, that will not be downed by the cruelty of time—simply crept into our systems. It was invigorating. It was something to watch with awe. It was a delight. Why bear age? Why even admit age? Why dilate its possibility from our nightmares? I cry: I am the Duc de Reichstadt! I'm ashamed of myself, because I generally feel that I am "getting on." Sarah was a complete and exhilarating tonic.

"It's Language Towered."

There is no need to discuss Rostand's "L'Aiglon." we know it, not wisely but too well—the play that couldn't oust "Cyrano de Bergerac" from our love. It is monotonous, dull, terribly long. It has not a single line that is almost criminal. It is filled to the brim, and over the brim, with "typical French sentiment"—the stickiest of commodities, very nice in its way, but not also here, here. It has its moments. It is cleanest. It is poetry. It is overweeningly worthy. It is not the first time I had seen it, so I need not dilate.

But Bernhardt filled it. She "towered." Its language glittered; its scenes were like lithographs; but she has never given a more perfect performance—never a more human one. Is the young! Is she old? What on earth does it matter? When you have a thrilling soul should rush to the Globe Theatre, even if they have to pawn the dear old house, or hock the tired old automobile. Everybody who loves acting should rush. Such acting they may never see again. We have had Sarahs in the past—very many—and a Sarah—but where are they now? What has happened to them? Ask

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The Family Upstairs—They Are the Cause of Dingbat's Unquenchable Grouch—By Herriman

FIRST BASEMEN SHY IN THE BIG LEAGUES

By BILL BAILEY.

If you happen to be a good and decent first baseman of major league type, don't worry about the future. It is assured. And almost any magnate will advance you Christmas money if you happen to be for signed. For if ever there was a dearth of first basemen it is at the present time.

Did you ever stop to think that of last half of the magnates in the American League are after first basemen, and that at least two magnates in the National are lying awake at night attempting to solve the first base problem.

And there you will be a lot of exciting and interesting gossip in New York when the magnates and managers of the two leagues foregather this month.

In the American League there are a quartet of managers who are frowning and for first basemen. Boston needs a first baseman. Not that Stahl has been the best day or anything of that sort. Jake has been the best all around baseball man in his life than he did last year.

He was there with the stick that he is to be finished as brilliant style. But the reports are all to the effect that he will be a bunker the year round that he can surely will be out at the Red Sox lineup.

Sox Need First Sacker.

Then the White Sox need after a first baseman immediately also with the left. John Collins also is a serious contender. The only question about Tannehill is his ability to hit. To a first sacker should at least be a good stick. Nobody could find any fault with Tanny as a fielder. It is only with the stick that he is weak.

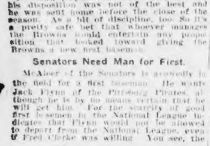
And Collins is secretly a nudger. He likes the ball hard, but not often enough. His pants much of a thrill if a youth came along who could field the ivories and hit the ball at about 260 or 270 and he could win a berth as a regular on the South Side team.

They also need a new first baseman. Along with a lot of other players down at St. Louis, too. There they have Newman and Graham, a couple of youngsters. One of the two may do.

Newman played fair ball last year, but his physiognomy was not of the best, and he was sent home before the close of the season as a bit of ineligible. So it is a pretty safe bet that whoever manages the Browns would entertain any proposition that looked toward giving the Browns a new first baseman.

Senators Need Man for First.

McAleer of the Senators is assembly the field for a first baseman. He wants a Jake Stahl of the Pittsburg Pirates, although he is by no means certain that he will get him. For the services of good first baseman in the National League he delegates that Pirate would not be allowed to depart from the National League, even if Fred Clarke was willing. You see, the



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FIRST RACE—Selling, all ages, four and one-half furlongs; purse $150. Mary Rudd 97, Stephen Decatur 102, Ben Hur 102, Reggie 102, Nettie Cotta 102, Charade 102, Talcon Dip 102, Blind Tip 102, Rubina 107. Dan Cupid 102.

SECOND RACE—Selling, all ages, four and one-half furlongs; purse $150; allowance $5, the Dove 87, Mystic Queen 87, Chemelle 90, Sonoma Girl 102, Loretta 102, Percy Taylor 102, Virginia Lee 102, Hattie Daniel 102, John Morse 107.

THIRD RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and upward, one and a half furlongs; purse $150. Jack Dunstan 100, Tom Cat 100, Macaroni 111, Hamilton 111, Esmeralda 106, Sir Favonius 111, Virginia Maid 111, Frank Patton 111.

FOURTH RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and up, six and one-half furlongs; purse $150. Aunt Jo 106, Ruthless 111, Oasis 106, Greek Maid 106, Lady Elizabeth 109, Little Marchmont 111, Chief Hayes 111, Rebel Queen 111.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $200, two-year-olds, maidens, four and one-half furlongs. Sing Or Hiccup 105, Jim Halpin 105, Sister Belle 105, Miss Peyton 105, Bingal Maid 107, Kennedy 104, Execute 108, Clint Tucker 107, Effie Golden 105, Bob Lund 110, Alvarado 110, Chautauqua 112, Joanie d'Arc 112.

SIXTH RACE—Selling, three-year-olds and upward, one mile; purse $200. Oliver Mickle 96, Cassius Clay 101, Dudley 101, Paddy Ide 104, Old Ike 105, Vigilant 107, Sam Bernard 107, Albeo 110, Cull 111, Herman Doris 110.

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FIRST RACE—Selling, two-year-olds, six furlongs: Banana Cocoa 104, Marcus 100, Sam Lewis 100, Hill 100, Moon 100, Greek Song 100, Lady Elizabeth 109, Little Marchmont 111, Red Hot 112.

SECOND RACE—Selling, one and one-half miles: Song of Hope 95, Jim Halpin 96, Sonoma Girl 96, Bingal Maid 97, Sister Belle 102, Miss Peyton 102, Bob Lund 110, Alvarado 110, Chautauqua 112, Joanie d'Arc 112.

THIRD RACE—Purse, two-year-olds, one furlong: Sweet Inez 103, Oriental 103, Frank Mullens 103, Rosa Wood 120, Sam Cohen 105.

FOURTH RACE—Handicap, seven furlongs: Grand Captain 122, Sam Mayo 98, Greek Song 110, Inez 95, Alonzo 104.

FIFTH RACE—Selling, fillies and mares, six furlongs: Miss Catherine 103, Phoenix 103, Sierra 106, Fellow 111, Lou Dillon 103, Miss Glades Louise 106.

SIXTH RACE—Selling, one mile: Shelby 96, Short Order 96, Molino Joe 97, Pee Vee 100, Bad Man 100, Ben Mulholland 105, John Louis 105, Bon Ton 105.

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sport to Pittsburg is that Hans Wagner will be on first base next year and that there will be no room for Flynn.

McAleer has gone so far as to tell Flynn that he surely would attempt to hook him if there was a chance of getting him out of the senior league organization. Flynn could not agree with the assertion that he liked the task so well that he would like to play in Washington if the Pirates no longer required his services.

Cleveland is another team in which a crackling good young first baseman could get a look-in. Perring will be remembered. Labois batted at first.

Which shaved that McGinnis did not do a great deal of conditioning in Stockton and since the same man will pilot them this year there is no reason to believe that George is to finally grind to that base a lively youngster could not pry from it if he showed himself a demon with the war club and a hacky man in the field and line.

Three Stand on First Baseman.

So in all the leagues there are but three men who seem fixtures for the job. The men being Harry Davis of the Athletics, Hal Chase of the Highlanders and Tom Jones of the Tigers. And two of the three are getting old.

In the National League there are not quite as many vacancies. Chance may not be with us many games longer, it depends upon whether young Stahl makes good or not. Grimm is said to be signed with promising the manager will probably view many games from the bench.

Fred Merkle is a favorite for the Giants, but Fleming or some good scout is striking out around for the job and will probably get him sooner or later. Hofman, of the Cubs, is rather friendless at first and made good. Was to assist the job and will probably get it. Doc Miller showed up a new first baseman, Brandell is getting old and Doom Hickman will have to show a lot of stage to get his job next year.

Over in Boston there was no one to fill the first place. Luderus went there from the Phillies, but he is pretty slow on his feet and he did nothing to endear himself to the instrumental bunch.

Wilhelm was never satisfied. Like who St. Louis with Konetchy. Bill Donlin has not shown that he is the real thing, he was sent home before the close of the season as a bit of ineligible. So it is a pretty safe bet that whoever manages the Browns would entertain any proposition that looked toward giving the Browns a new first baseman.

WALSH TRAILS CHRISTOPHER

By ED. COGSWELL.

John Christopher goes to the Chelsea Square Alleys tonight with the narrow margin of fourteen pins over his opponent Archie Walsh in the match for $200 at twenty strings, of which ten were decided yesterday at the Boylston Alleys.

This margin the followers of Walsh claim is not enough for Christopher to have in winning the match from the East Boston boy, and will finish on his home alleys, the ones he uses daily in practice.

Christopher went in the match a top-heavy favorite, but it pulls to be seen the stand that Walsh made in the initial block his greatly decreased the odds in the betting about town this forenoon.

After the ten strings had been bowled at the Boylston, Christopher made the remark that he was ashamed of himself in the first place he put up, but that four figure pins were lost all they were claimed to be, and before Walsh could get that same number in the lead he must beat him twenty-eight pins, and he has every confidence Walsh is not capable of the feat.

There will be one of the biggest crowds out at a bowling match at Chelsea to-night, and excitement will run high from the time the first ball is thrown down the alley. Walsh will have the benefit of the rooting, of which there will be a plenty and to spare.

In the ten strings bowled nobody ever saw a closer match between two men. It was first one and then the other in the lead. The last string saw a tie score a couple of times, but Christopher got over the stronger finisher.

Walsh did the cleanest pin-picking bowling, he only getting thirteen spares and no strikes in the ten strings to Christopher's seven and two strikes to his place. Walsh not missing but two single pin spares during the series, though he left down a few times on two pin spares, however they did not count, as all the spares tells the story as to pin-picking, when it is counted that only fourteen pins separate the bowlers.

BOWLING ALLEY GOSSIP

Walter R. Kirk, for the past few years manager of Murray & Irwin's bowling alleys, has taken charge of Murzeti's bowling alley at Elm street. Among those who gave visited him in his new quarters were Fred Murzeti, Mel Perkins, Sam Greene, Archie Walsh, Dickfost and a number of other well-known bowlers.

E. Price of Perkins & Andrews, the firm for $35 in practice, but during the game $5 of fell down some one dimes somewhere.

At the Boston Alleys in the Electrical League, Wellington & Andrews and Clark & Mills were even. The former team is still one game ahead of the latter.

Roper of Western Electric had hard picking the other night, his strings were 81—84—80—245. Tough, Blondy.

Felton of Adams Square Knocked out 338 against Eliot Square, but that didn't bit the candles for 132 in his second string.

Deary of Eliot Council, in the K. of C. League, rolled 308 against the Abbott team.

Hallas, of Dudley Club, is hitting the pins for his average in the Pin Tenpin League Britt and Fuller are not far behind with 110.

Andy Armstrong, with 101, is certainly rounding. His team mate, Fred Hitchins, has been showing the way to Boylston in the Greater Boston City League.

Everett and Cambridge are tied in the Odd Fellows League. As is anyone's game, as all teams are closely bunched.

Puffer, in the Commercial League, has an average of 104. Fine bowling for the big pins.

Timmy Burns expects the game of the season at his Chelsea Square Alleys at 11:15 tonight when Gerry Corbin and Harry Williams team against Jeremiah O'Connell and John Gregory for the championship of the liquor trade in Chelsea. There is a needle goat in this match.

JACKSONVILLE ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Selling; two-year-olds; five and one-half furlongs: Ada Weed, 97; Isabel, 101; Lady Rose, 106; Waste Not, 101; Comity Tax, 112; El Leon, 103; Firewood, 107; Imprum, 110; Sister to Hughie, 111; Jim Dandy, 104; Christine, 106.

SECOND RACE—Selling; three-year-olds; six furlongs: Argyle, 99; Lady Bridget, 99; Golding, 102; Fifora, 104; Marie Hyde, 104; Alfonso Queen, 104; Forever, 104; Alfonso, 104; Christine, 106.

THIRD RACE—Selling; three-year-olds; six furlongs: Argyle, 99; Lady Bridget, 99; Golding, 102; Fifora, 104; Marie Hyde, 104; Alfonso Queen, 104; Forever, 104; Alfonso, 104; Christine, 106.

FOURTH RACE—Selling; handicap; all ages; one and one-eighth miles: Don Diaz, 101; Lady Esther, 107; Minnie, 107; Black, 113; Sally Sage, 101; Sunbury, 107; Captain Seaman, 109.

FIFTH RACE—Selling; three-year-olds; one and one-half furlongs: Vermont, 105; Dalgold, 107; Ist spirit, 112; Along the Land, 110; Annette, 106; Ed Rech, 108; Descomets, 114.

SIXTH RACE—Selling; three-year-olds and up; one and one-eighth miles: Don Diaz, 101; Lady Esther, 107; Minnie, 107; Black, 113; Sally Sage, 101; Sunbury, 107; Captain Seaman, 109.

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Almost everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

HARVARD HOCKEY TEAM AT ARENA

By E. V. B. PARKE.

The Harvard hockey team is rapidly rounding into form in its daily practice at the Boston Arena, and Harvard men are looking forward to an unusually successful season in hockey for two reasons. In the first place there is an unusually large number of veterans out for the team this year, and never before has a Harvard team been afforded good ice so early in the season with an absolute certainty of these excellent conditions being always at their command.

The building of the rink in the Arena has come as more or less of a godsend to the Harvard hockey team, for usually they have not been able to hold practice on the ice before the first of January, as the rink in the Stadium were seldom ready for work prior to this time.

Inasmuch as they were assured of being able to start their ice work many days the early year, the schedule was begun several weeks ahead of time, and the men are at working like Trojans getting ready for the first game, which comes in a couple of weeks with Tech. All of the Crimson's games will be played in the rink, either in the Arena or in the Stadium, and the management is trying to secure several post season games with some of the best Canadian teams.

BUZZELL NEW CAPTAIN OF MECHANIC ARTS

Percy A. Buzzell will captain the Mechanic Arts High school football team next year. He played fullback this year and was one of the most powerful ground-gainers in the team's backfield. Twenty-one boys received their letters, as follows: Kosinsky, Captain Mooney, Hahn, G. W. Brown, Hello, J. Cochrane, Gleason, Lynch, Swanson, Manager Spear, Jackson, Power, Buzzell, Schlano, McLeod, R. P. Brown, Barry, Ormsby, W. Cochrane, Merton and Moran.

HANK IS "DELIGHTED."

Hank O'Day says he is delighted to hear that Bob Bescher will recover the full use of his hand. "Great ball player, and fine about one for a swell season," says Hank. "Also a gentleman in every way."

JACKSONVILLE RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Inaugural, 3 to 1, won; Dudley, 2 to 1, second; Time—1:08 3-5.

SECOND RACE—Big Muddy, 7 to 2, won; Mr. Dillman, 1 to 2, second; Edwin L., Time—1:42 3-5.

THIRD RACE—Ben Hur, 3 to 1, won; Gleason, 2 to 1, second; Time—1:12 3-5.

FOURTH RACE—Master Rose, 3 to 1, won; Jefferson, 1 to 2, second; Time—1:42 3-5.

FIFTH RACE—Flying Summer, 3 to 1, won; Ben Bodine, 1 to 2, second; Time—1:08 3-5.

SIXTH RACE—Sandalo, 5 to 2, won; Spindle, 7 to 10, second; Time—1:42 3-5.

PENSACOLA RESULTS

FIRST RACE—Lizzie K., 7 to 2, won; Mary Ross Banks, 6 to 1, second; Time—1:08.

SECOND RACE—Mary Rudd, 3 to 1, won; Excess, 2 to 1, second; Time—1:41.

THIRD RACE—Flying Cloud, 4 to 1, won; Miss Hamilton, 2 to 1, second; Time—1:08 3-5.

FOURTH RACE—Eng. Esther, 12 to 1, won; Hoang Zowa, 10 to 1, second; Time—1:42 3-5.

FIFTH RACE—Star Venus, 3 to 1, won; Aunt Rose, 7 to 5, second; Time—1:08 3-5.

SIXTH RACE—Judge Lee, 3 to 1, won; Argonne, 3 to 1, second; Time—1:42 3-5.

OAKLAND RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Five furlongs; selling: Mamie Reynolds, 99, 3 to 1, won; Lord Quilter, 112, 7 to 2, second; Race, 4 to 1, third; Time—1:03 4-5.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling: Mary Antonia, 103, 3 to 1, won; Matador, 112, 6 to 1, second; Tetera, 8 to 5, third; Time—1:16 4-5.

THIRD RACE—Four furlongs; selling: Matador, 112, 6 to 1, won; Bonnie Boy, 3 to 1, second; Jim Talbot, 5 to 1, third; Time—:48 4-5.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and a quarter; selling: Meringue, 4 to 1, won; Trapper, 3 to 1, second; Sir Favonius, 4 to 1, third; Time—2:08 4-5.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; selling: Ben Brush, 4 to 1, won; Dr. Rumsey, 3 to 1, second; Ben Frost, 6 to 1, third; Time—1:16 4-5.

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OBERLIN IS SOLD.

WILKES-BARRE, Penn., Dec. 6.—Pitcher Oberlin, who was last season with the Washington team of the American League, has been purchased outright from Washington by Manager Clymer of the Wilkes-Barre (New York State League) team.

JOINS BROCKTON TEAM

BROCKTON, Dec. 6.—Fred Odell, forward for the Cambridge White Sox, has been awarded to Brockton by the Bay State Professional Basketball league. He is expected to play with Boston against Randolph tonight in this city.

HEADS EAST BOSTON FIVE.

Edward Peterson has resigned as captain of the East Boston High school basketball team. His parents objected to his playing. James Maguire, who led the team last Winter, was chosen in his place. The second of candidates, which has been the largest in the history of the school, received its first cut yesterday by Coach O'Brien.

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POWERS THREATENS TO QUIT THE EASTERN

When the Eastern League convenes at the Victoria next week for the annual Fall meeting the club owners will come prepared for a red hot fight over the election of officers. T. F. Powers, who has held the presidency of the league for many years, is the object of another bitter personal fight, but this time he may surprise both friends and foes by announcing that he is through with professional baseball, at least for the present.

Powers, if his plans do not miss fire, is expected to notify the delegates upon their arrival that he has no desire to be re-elected. In fact he hasn't the time or patience to devote to the organization for which he has stood sponsor for nearly twenty years.

Powers, it is understood, has been quietly buying up a big interest in Ireland and has finally secured a controlling interest. His friends have known for some time that he intended to visit Ireland late this month, take charge of the venture and would have no time to spend as president of a baseball league.

Saved Off Wreck.

Powers, always a baseball fan, enjoyed himself as leader of the Eastern League, although the $5,000 salary hardly repaid him for the wear and tear encountered in dealing with owners. The league was a matter of pride with him and on many occasions to prevent a week be dug into his own pocket to keep the clubs in Providence, Jersey City, Montreal, Rochester and other cities above water.

At one time Powers had the league one and the same thing. There were fierce fights between rival backers and as an owner of Jersey City was outspoken, but gradually as new personalities became interested in the league opposition to Powers developed. He wasn't accused of favoritism or sharp dealing because he is known as a man of honor, but because he was interested in horse races. Matches, boxing matches and other things some of the league members couldn't see where he came in to be president of their organization.

Powers was deposed one year and Harry Taylor succeeded him. But when the next election came around the club owners elected P. T. back, as they had no one asked him to come back. Since then Powers has practically dictated Eastern League affairs and has gradually developed into the most powerful circuit outside of the two major leagues. The club owners, to a man, are ecstatic, inside dope money last season, which was the biggest harvest ever.

Thirty Years in the Game.

Yet the old opposition to Powers was always cropping out until several of the club owners announced that they were looking for another president. Edward Barrow of Toronto was mentioned as a likely candidate and others were mentioned too. Powers refused to discuss the matter, however except to say last fall that the Eastern League meeting he would state his position.

"Powers is going to step down and out because of private business," said a friend yesterday. "He has given up many years of his life to baseball and has refused all recent flattering offers to go into other ventures that paid him time and attention and when Powers does get together next week Powers will tell them to elect another man to the presidency. He has no candidate for the job either."

Powers was identified with the International League long in the 90s, before the Eastern League was organized. While he practically introduced professional baseball in Rochester, Jersey City and other New Yorks towns, after which he was manager of the Rochester club in 1899 he managed the Giants in 1902 and soon after was elected president of the Eastern League. He was the first president of the Jersey League. He was the first president of the National Association of Minor Leagues and was evidently of the board of arbitration baseball will miss him.

TOMMY BURNS TO RETIRE FROM RING

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec 6 Tommy Burns, former heavyweight champion pugilist, announced his permanent retirement from the ring in a letter received today. An injury to his knee to receive in a game of hockey some years ago is cited as his reason for retiring.

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Company B desires games with the 125-pound teams in the State. Address Company B of Gloucester, Mass.

Marys of Hyde Park, 21 Austin st., would like to hear from the West End or the Madison A. C. of Charlestown. Address Joel street, Hyde Park, or Chelsea, or telephone 1.

The T. S. S. N. A. A. has a good hall league open to strong teams. Address Chester Boston Hall, 2 Chester park, for reasonable guarantee.

Onteora C. C. would like to hear from all strong teams in the State. Address J. J. Mahoney, 2121 Mill square, Malden, or telephone 2121 Malden.

St. Mary's of West Quincy has games with strong teams for Sunday at home. The team has been organized a month and is ready to play. Address E. Hebert, 73 Adams street, West Quincy.

The Certamen Boys' Club would like to arrange games with strong teams of 120 pounds. A. C. Lindsay, 230 Greene street, Woonsocket, R. I., or telephone 623 Woonsocket.

The Cambridge Y. M. C. A. has games with the fastest teams in the State. Boston The club especially wants a game with the Crescents, Somerville, and M. F. Callahan, 418 Columbia street, Cambridge.

Dorchester A. A. would like to hear from some of the fastest basketball boys in the State. Address Fox Point House, Foxboro A. A. and Bridge, 1 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, or telephone 472 Dorchester.

The Makarios of Quincy would like to arrange games with strong teams for Wednesday and Saturday nights. H. Eagleston, 2 Francis street Quincy.

The Sacred Hearts of East Boston have several open dates and would like to be filled with 117-pound teams. William Cleborn, 6 Neptune road, East Boston.

The Roxbury Crescents are making an effort to organize a 125-pound team for the season, and would like to hear from the 125-pound teams in the vicinity. 1068 Tremont street, Roxbury.

The Original Eagle Triangulars would like to hear from some fast 110-pound teams. R. H. Flannery, 159 Willow street, Cambridge.

The White Sox second basketball team of Cambridge would like to arrange two home games with strong preliminary teams. Will any responsible guarantee? A. L. Martin, 87 Sixth street, East Cambridge.

The Sharon Y. M. C. A. would like to hear from some fast teams. C. J. Bush, P. O. Box 262, Sharon.

BOXING NEWS AND NOTES

The show at the Armory Club tonight will be a warm one. The prelims promise some great sport.

Morris Harris says Langford may beat him, but he will find that he has no boys on his track of him.

Leo Houck is manager of a basketball team at Lewistown, Pa. He will be ready to book in three weeks.

Willie Lewis and Young Nitchie will be the star performers at a show at Lawrence, Pa., Thursday.

Young Dundee showed good sense in going to New York, as he is sure to make a big reputation over there.

Sharkey and Coney offered a partnership in a new boxing club locally if he would put up $3,500. Another promoter will let Sharkey in for $500.

At Waterbury Ct., in future contests nuts will have to peel a pound of chestnuts with every ticket bought. There boys and two girls a widower, never took a drink of strong liquor, never smoked a cigar or pipe; men of strict integrity in every way.

Who's Who IN SPORT

JEREMIAH J. MURRAY—No. 12.

MIAH MURRAY

Jeremiah J. (Miah) Murray, baseball player and umpire, prominent politician, promoter and billiard, pool and bowling room proprietor, born at Boston College, South Boston, in 1860, began playing baseball professionally in 1885 with the Providence team, having been found at Arthur Irwin, now scout for the New York Yankees, was with Providence in 1885; Hochester, N. Y., in 1886, Frank Bancroft, manager of team; Minneapolis in 1887, Washington in 1888; London, Canada, in 1889; Paterson in same term, and wound up baseball career in 1890 with Hartford.

Began umpiring in 1890 at Harvard and continued arbitrator in college games for several years, acquiring acres at Cambridge, New Haven, Philadelphia, etc., president of Boston Rowing Association for seven terms, vice-president of Greater Boston Rowing League, head of City Democratic Committee, organized and chartered, with John Lane, the Arlington Athletic Club in 1897, and on board of directors since.

Mr. Murray was married in 1888. Par-ticipating first, until in partnership with John Irwin in a billiard and pool and bowling emporium with Irwin on South Boston, and billiard, pool and bowling emporium with Irwin on Washington street in 1896, started the White Rats in Boston, largest theatrical agency at its places of business including Keith's, Boston, for Bostonians, Wilbur Hogue, Harrison, Albert Carle and Mary Mannering, Frederick Bond, Joseph H. Sothern, Hendrick Ibsen and Henry Allen, is prominent in several organizations, father of five children, three boys and two girls a widower, never took a drink of strong liquor, never smoked a cigar or pipe; man of strict integrity in every way.

DOVES SLOW TO SIGN CONTRACTS

It's a good safe bet that Boston fans will see all new men in Dovey uniforms out at the Walpole street grounds this year, some. Very few of the old players have signed up, but the new material is rapidly coming a row with their signatures.

Hi Jeese, gone Burg will take his place and not to do a little better than did last year. That is, if he doesn't repeat Hoops a frequent tired spells. No body cares a chaw in the catching department Graham and Rariden will, no doubt, be the mainstays of the team enabled the last few pitchers there is a wealth of new material in the person of McTigue, who was at last reports mastered in the Pacific Coast League. Tyler, Dave Pierce also are added cards and Hall and Curtis and Cady of Boone, as well as rafts of many others, catch.

The reason for the delay in signing men is that the club will not get on the payroll this week, pending the possible advent of Mayor Curley, all too likely, and consequently two weeks will be lost to all that is allowed for getting to Hot Springs. The players will be paid until the end of the month, and the club will not be responsible for any training trip.

BOUT AT PITTSBURG WINDS UP IN RIOT

PITTSBURG, Dec. 6—The fight between George Cotton, colored, and Frank Wood, white, at the Duquesne here, ended in one of the biggest fights that ever took place in this city. Cotton had Wood groggy when Referee Kennedy here declared him the winner. Cotton's seconds then climbed into the ring and began fighting with Wood's seconds. Then the fight became general. Spectators joined in and started a free-for-all fight. Warrants have been issued for those who participated in the affair. Boxing has been declared a public nuisance in Pittsburg.

WILLIAMS SAVED BY BELL IN LAST ROUND

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 6—Jack Fitzgerald and Ray Williams fought a ten-round draw at the Quaker City A. C. last night. The fifth round was the fastest of the bout, Williams using a left to the head and right to the chin and was almost down when the bell rang.

A Want Advt. is often the road to fortune.

HARRIS READY FOR HARD BOUT

JACK TWIN WINS IN FOURTH ROUND

NEW YORK, Dec. 6—Jim Stewart of Boston and Jack (Twin) Sullivan of Lowell met in the fourth bout of what was scheduled to be a ten-round affair at the Athletic Club last night. Stewart scored a knockout in the fourth round after a fierce rally. He battered Sullivan to the ropes with a right to the head and then sent a left to the jaw that put the latter down for the count. Sullivan was weighed in at 134 pounds and Stewart at 133½. This was Stewart's first appearance in the ring since he was stabbed in a fight in a Boston restaurant.

RYAN-ALLEN BOUT GOES TO A DRAW

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 6—Pat Ryan of Syracuse and Billy Allen of Canada went ten rounds to a draw before the Syracuse A. C. last night. Ryan was the aggressor in the first round, but Allen was in the second round. Ryan was in the third round, but Allen was in the fourth round. It was impossible to decide which had an advantage.

High Boy of Utica and Jack Reed of Syracuse, colored, fought a ten-round draw in the preliminary. Reed was the aggressor in the first round, but Boy was in the second round. Reed was in the third round. Boy was in the fourth round. Reed was in the fifth round. Boy was in the sixth round. Reed was in the seventh round. Boy was in the eighth round. Reed was in the ninth round. Boy was in the tenth round. Reed was in the eleventh round. Boy was in the twelfth round. Reed was in the thirteenth round. Boy was in the fourteenth round. Reed was in the fifteenth round. Boy was in the sixteenth round. Reed was in the seventeenth round. Boy was in the eighteenth round. Reed was in the nineteenth round. Boy was in the twentieth round. Reed was in the twenty-first round. Boy was in the twenty-second round. Reed was in the twenty-third round. Boy was in the twenty-fourth round. Reed was in the twenty-fifth round. Boy was in the twenty-sixth round. Reed was in the twenty-seventh round. 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Just What Is a Happy Home?

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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Desperate Desmond

A Continued Picture Drama of Love and Hate, with a Thrill in Its Every Picture

The next time you ride on a merry-go-round, just try to imagine how it would feel if you were under water instead of up in the circumambient ozone. Then you will have some idea of the sensations experienced by our friends Claude and Rosamond, tied to the rapidly revolving bridge. Needless to say, it was Desmond's work.

"Oho," says the cop. "That's the first time I ever saw a bridge with a jag. The rules say nothing about arresting bridges, but I'll take no chances. I'll telephone for the dredges. A patrol wagon would be good in a case like this. All of which goes to show that this particular cop is on to his job.

So he telephoned for the dredges, and the dredges came. You can see for yourself that they are getting busy. They have hooked up to opposite ends of the bridge, with a view of stopping the driveway which. Now, some cops would never have thought of a scheme like that. That guy will be a captain some day, believe us.

You must remember, dear reader, that the bridge has acquired quite some momentum, and it can't stop all of a sudden. Desmond is going to do with that knife! It can't be possible that he's going to cut the rope and pierce two loving hearts at one fell swoop. Alas! You never can tell what that crook will do.

It stopped all right, but now it's got to unwind that twist. Where is this thing going to end, anyhow? And what is Desmond going to do with that knife? It can't be possible that he's going to cut the rope and pierce two loving hearts at one fell swoop. Alas! You never can tell what that crook will do.

We guessed wrong. Desmond's plan is even worse, besides being easier. He merely cut the rope and let the bond lovers fly through space with the almost certain prospect of being dashed to smithereens against a building or something. If you want to see the smithereens, orders a copy of to-morrow's paper.

The Old Gentleman Was Wise

By KENNETT HARRIS

"WILLIE, come here, sweet child," called the nice old gentleman to the little boy who was moving around to the back door.

The little boy hesitated and then advanced slowly to the porch. "I was going to ask Eliza for something," he explained.

"I don't doubt it in the least in the world," said the nice old gentleman, "but your dear mamma is in the kitchen at the present moment."

The little boy looked alarmed.

"I wouldn't go in there just at the present moment if I were you, Willie," suggested the nice old gentleman. "I would try to bear the pangs of hunger just a little longer if I were in your place."

"I haven't been doing nothing," said the little boy.

"Of course not, of course not," said the nice old gentleman, soothingly. "Don't I know my own good little grandson? Wouldn't your mouth be a safe and cool repository for butter after months of the time? Well, I guess, yes. What's that bulging out of your pockets, if you will pardon what may seem impertinent curiosity?"

"Marbles," replied the little boy, uneasily.

Willie's Prowess

"I see," said the nice old gentleman, "I also feel," he added, poking a finger into the protrusion. "Marbles, of course. Nothing more natural at your age than to have one's pockets full of marbles. Where did you get all these nice, pretty marbles, Willie, dear?"

"Won 'em," answered the little boy sullenly. "Won 'em from the other boys."

"Good!" exclaimed the nice old gentleman heartily. "Fine! I congratulate you. Let's have a couple and see if I've forgotten how to shoot. Put one down. So. Now watch. Missed, by Jimmy! I guess I have forgotten. Now, you try. Here, I will put a little closer. Why, you made a worse score than I did. Try it again. Oh, pshaw! Can't you do better than that, Willie?"

"I can't shoot very well," admitted the little boy "My thumb always slips."

"And yet you win," said the nice old gentleman. "Remarkable! It must be a case of good luck. It couldn't have anything to do with what you were hiding behind the flower pots just now, could it?"

The little boy looked guilty and rubbed one shoe over the other nervously.

The Marble Board

"It looked like a board—a marble board," continued the nice old gentleman, "and I've got it, Willie. I'd like to look at it and see if it's the same I used to make when I was a pretty, little blue-eyed, flaxen-haired cherub like you. Would it trouble you too much to get it, or shall I go?"

The little boy slowly descended the porch steps and returned in a minute or two with a hotchkiss board, which he reluctantly handed over.

"Just about the same," said the nice old gentleman. "Not much attention in the style that I can see. Dear me! How it brings back the happy days of long, long ago! The numbers over the openings indicate the number of marbles that the player receives if he is skilful enough to shoot through it. Isn't that so, my child?"

"U-h-h," assented the little boy.

The Secret

"Of course," said the nice old gentleman. "If he gets through the large hole he gets one, plus his shooter. Am I right?"

"What's plus?" asked the little boy.

"He gets his shooter back and another marble," explained the nice old gentleman. "I thought so. And if he gets through the little hole he gets fifty. Is that so?"

"Yes, sir," said the little boy, swallowing.

"If he gets through," repeated the nice old gentleman, with emphasis. "But I suppose he doesn't get through very often. No? I thought not. Could a marble get through it without being hammered through, Willie?"

"Some could," said Willie.

"Suppose it to be small enough and to hit the hole fairly squarely and with sufficient force, I suppose. I see the other holes are correspondingly large and small. You must be an earnest student of the doctrine of chances, lately. You don't know what that is, do you?

The Catastrophe

"Well, you can understand this: Two of your little playmates' mammas have been over to see your mamma about the way you've skinned the gang and there's blood on the moon, Willie dear. You seem to have the visible supply of marbles after it has gone the flowers will bloom, the lips will smile, the sun will shine and the world be as bright as it was before.

"But there is the quiet love that begins in childhood, that grows with your growth and strengthens with your strength, that is made up of a thousand tender memories and hopes and aspirations shared in common. Death itself does not kill a love like that, and if you fear it up you tear away your very heart, your life, your soul, for everything is entangled in its roots.

"I know such a love as this. There was a little girl with flaxen hair and a face like a lily, who lived in the little country neighborhood where I was reared. We played together as babies. We went to school together, I carrying her books and hoarding every penny to buy her a red apple, and I literally cannot remember a time when she did not fit the whole world for me.

"In her father's home I was treated as one of his own, and I think it never occurred to either my little sweetheart or me that there could be any life for either of us except to grow old happily ever after when we were grown.

"They Laughed at Me"

"So we grew to manhood and womanhood, and then—and then there came a break by, on which I found that her parents had never suspected that Mabel and I

Why They Married — By Dorothy Dix

MARRIED FOR A HOME

"I F I am to believe the real truth and honor reason that I married," said the third man, "I must admit that it was for a home. That is considered an especially feminine reason for committing matrimony, but believe me, a hundred times more men than women marry to get a home.

"A woman can make herself a home with a teapot, and a few duties, and things, in a boarding house, or she can live with sort of a desert rock, but a man is a poor, piteous, helpless creature who is absolutely stranded and wretched in the midst of ten thousand dollars worth of Oriental rugs, and carved mahogany, and bric-a-brac, if he hasn't got some woman around to push things about, and leave a bit of sewing here, and a long glove there, and make it all cozy and inhabitable looking.

"Of course the love, and the wife, and the home ought to come to a man all together in the natural course of things, but my life got a twist away in its very beginning. Before I was ever really a man it was my misfortune to drink to the dregs the bitter cup of a blighted love affair.

"There Is the Quiet Love"

"We laugh a lot at what we call calf love, but I tell you that it is the strongest, the purest and the best thing in all the whole life. It is the incense of his dreams and faith, his belief in everything that is good and holy, and when anything touches the lips will smile, the sun will shine and the world be as bright as it was before.

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The Difference

By KENNETT HARRIS.

THE Summer girl is gone, alas!
She's willow for her bosh;
She certainly had lots of class—
The one I ran across.

But are we then downhearted? No!
We are not even slightly so;
Quite placidly we see her go;
We do not mind her loss.

For we here comes the Winter girl
Sing her a coat of fur;
She looks like a dibby whirl,
And, friends, it's me for her.

Her eyes are bright, her cheeks are pink,
She also sparkles with wit I think.
It puts the nibbly on the bink—
That caning coat of fur.

The Winter girl inspires my song—
Sing hey it's stinging smatic;
But, after all, there's nothing wrong
About her in the Fall.

I love the maiden of the Spring
They're all about the same old thing;
The chance is one we have to ring;
The difference is small.

Day's Best Story

A YOUNG lady living in Atlanta visited the home of her fiance in New Orleans. On her return home an old negro "mammy," long in the service of the family, and consequently privileged to put the question, asked:

"Honey, when is you goin' to git mar ried?"

The engagement not having been announced, the Atlanta girl replied: "Indeed, I can't say, Aunty. Perhaps I shall be married next Christmas, and then, perhaps, I shall never marry."

The old woman's jaw fell. "Ain't dat a pity now?" she ejaculated; then she added, consolingly, "Dey do say dat ole maids is de happiest critters dey is, once dey quits struggilin'."

Daysey's Present for Father

By FRANCES L. GARSIDE

WHEN the Thanksgiving turkey has disappeared in his original shape, has reappeared and disappeared as hash, and has finally floated off to the land of fond memories in soup, the thoughts of Daysey Mayme Appleton turn to the Merry Christmastide, a season dear to her because of the many opportunities it affords for countering sunshine, pie cupidons and late receipts.

This season she began work with a long list of friends, and with a heart beating high with hope, for she had read in her favorite magazine for women of beautiful and appropriate gifts that could be made with the smallest financial outlay.

Not a snap lost from the grocer, said the Helpful Hints to Loving Givers. "Save those yards of cotton, 20 cents; one paper of hose tacks, five cents, and with a total expenditure of thirty-five cents a clever and ingenious woman can make a Parlor Passport that will bring Peace and Joy to the home, and that will be worth cubic those days when Handicraft is Appreciated at its Due Merit. Fully One Hundred Per Cent."

"Clever and ingenious woman," said Daysey Mayme. "That's me." So she got the soap box, the chisels and the tacks, and she measured the split and sawed and hammered, and the floors were covered with shavings, and the families in the apartment above and below complained of the hammering during the day and of the yells of Lysander John when he stepped on tacks at night, but Daysey Mayme continued to measure, saw, split and hammer.

Then came the Yuletide spirit," she said when she heard the neighbors roar to them the coming of the birthday of the Christ Child does not carry the beautiful penance and significance it carries to me."

She worked on merrily, dreaming as she worked of the Beautiful Parlor Davenport that would be worth One Hundred Dollars.

Every swell thing had a small bedroom suite named Daysey Mayme. "Why should not this little effort may reasonable one day in a big factory where soap boxes are turned regularly into davenports and millions of morons will be made and my name will be on the walls outside."

But when the last hack had been driven, and the last wax completed, the Beautiful Parlor Davenport turned out to be a cross between an inviting bower and a hobo pile bedder.

"I'll just give it to Father for a shoe box," said Daysey Mayme.

Then she scratched his name off her list, counted her money and the days that were left till Christmas, and leaving the housework for her mother to do, started down town meekly, a Christmas carol on her lips, to find Uplift Mattoes with which to cheer gloomy friends.

USES OF SALT.

Salt is on water cleans glass bottles.

Cut flowers can be kept fresh by adding salt to water.

Brooms soaked in hot salt water wear better and do not break.

Salt sprinkled in alcohol or ammonia removes grease spots.

Salt hardens gums, makes teeth white and sweetens the breath.

Salt thrown in any burning substance stops smoke and blaze.

Weak and tired eyes are refreshed by bathing in salt water and water.

Housewife should pour salt water after using down drain pipes.

Add salt to water in which black and white goods are washed.

A smoldering or dull fire can be cleared for broiling by a handful of salt.

Lemon and salt removes stains from fingers. Do not use soap.

THE RAJAH'S DIAMOND

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The Adventure of the Hansom Cab (Continued).

BUT such was the fever and perturbation of Harry's mind that he was struck by none of these considerations, and only continued to run the faster up the lane.

Charlie, by the sound of his voice and the vile terms he hurled after the secretary, was obviously beside himself with rage. He, too, ran his very best, but try as he might, the physical advantages were not on his side, and his entente and the fall of his lame foot on the macadam began to tell further and further into the wake.

Harry's hopes began once more to arise. The lane was both step and narrow, but it was exceedingly solitary, bordered on either hand by garden walls, overhung with foliage, and, so far as the fugitive could see in front of him, there was neither a crossing nor an open door. Providence, weary of persecution, was now offering him an open field for his escape.

Ahead of him came abreast of a garden door under a tuft of chestnuts, it was suddenly drawn back, and he could see inside, upon a garden path, the figure of a butcher's boy, with his tray upon his arm. He had hardly recognised the first before he was going some steps beyond the other side. But the fellow had had time to observe him. He was revivingly much surprised to see a gentleman go by at 10 minutes to one, and he came into the lane and began to call after Harry with shouts of ironical encouragement.

The Cry of "Stop Thief!"

His appearance gave a new idea to Charlie Pendragon, who, although he was now quite out of breath, also operated his voice.

"Stop thief!" he cried.

And immediately the butcher's boy had taken up the cry and joined in the pursuit.

This was a bitter moment for the hunted secretary. It is true that his terror enabled him even more to improve his pace, and gain with every step on his pursuers; but he was well aware that he was near the end of his resources, and should he meet any one coming the other way, his predicament in the narrow lane would be desperate indeed.

"I must find a place of concealment," he though, "and that within the next few seconds, or all is over with me in this world."

Scarcely had the thought crossed his mind when the lane took a sudden turning, and he found himself hidden from his enemies. There are circumstances in which even the least energetic of mankind learn to behave with vigor and decision and more cautious forget their usual prudence and embrace hilarity readily. This was one of those occasions for Harry Hartley; and those who knew him best would have been the most astonished at the lad's audacity. He stopped dead, flung the landbox over a garden wall, and, leaping upward with incredible agility, got a firm purchase with both his hands, he tumbled headlong after it into the garden.

The Adventure in the Garden.

He came to himself a moment afterward, seated in a border of small rosebushes. His hands and knees were cut and bleeding, for the wall had been protected against such an escalade by a liberal provision of old bottles; and he was conscious of a general dislocation and a painful swimming in the head. Facing him across the garden, which was in admirable order, and set with flowers of the most delicious perfume, he beheld the back of a house. It was of considerable extent, and plainly habitable; but, in odd contrast to the grounds, it was crazy, ill-kept, and of a mean appearance. On all other sides the circuit of the garden wall appeared unbroken.

He took in these features of the scene with mechanical glances, but his mind was still unable to piece together or draw a rational conclusion from what he saw.

And when he heard footsteps approaching on the gravel, he looked round him with eyes in that direction, it was with no thought either for defence or flight.

The newcomer was a large, coarse and very sordid personage, in gardening clothes, and with a watering pot in his left hand. One less confused would have been affrighted with some alarm at the sight of this man's huge proportions and black and lowering eyes. But Harry was too gravely shaken by his fall to be so much as terrified; and if he was unable to divert his glances from the gardener, he remained absolutely passive, and suffered him to draw near, to take him by the shoulder, and to plant him roughly on his feet, without a motion of resistance.

For a moment the two stared into each other's eyes. Harry fascinated, the man filled with wrath and a cruel, sneering humor.

"Who are you?" he demanded at last. "Who are you to come flying over my wall and break my Ghirlo de Dijons? What is your name?—he added, shaking him—"and what may be your business here?"

Harry could not get as much as proffer a word in explanation.

Accused as a Thief

But just at that moment Pendragon and the butcher's boy went cramping past, and the sound of their feet and their hoarse cries echoed loudly in the narrow lane. The gardener had evidently answered the summons, and he looked down into Harry's face with an obnoxious smile.

"A thief!" he said. "Upon my word, and a very good thing you must make of it. I'll see you hanged like a gentleman from top to toe. Are you not ashamed of yourself, being a decent young man, with honest folk, I dare say, glad to buy your cast-off finery second hand? Speak up, you dog," the man went on. "You ran in Overland English, I suppose, and I mean to have a word with you before I march you to the station."

"Indeed, sir," said Harry, "this is all a dreadful misconception, and if you will go and find me Sir Thomas Vandeleur's in Eaton place, I can promise that all will be made plain. The most upright person, as you now perceive, can be led into suspicious positions."

"My little man," replied the gardener, "I will go with you no further than the station house (with a grin), and I will be glad to stroll with you as far as Eaton place, and leave with you as far as Eaton place, and leave a bit of afternoon tea with your great grandmamma. Or would you prefer to go direct to the Home Secretary?

"Sir Thomas Vandeleur, indeed! Perhaps you think I don't know a gentleman when I see one from a common run-the-hedge like you! Clothes or no clothes, I can read you like a book. Here is a shirt that may cost as much as my Sunday hat, and that, I'll be bound, never saw the inside of Raeburn, and then your boots!

The man, whose eyes had fallen upon the ground, stopped short in his bullying commentary, and remained for a moment looking intently at something at his feet. When he spoke his voice was strangely altered.

"What, in God's name," said he, "is all this?"

A Fortune in Precious Gems

Harry, following the direction of the man's eyes, beheld a spectacle that struck him dumb with terror and amazement. In his fall he had descended vertically upon the handful of burning dew. A princely fortune lay between the two men upon the ground—a fortune in new and inviting, solid and durable form, capable of being carried in an apron, beautiful itself, and reflecting the sunlight in a million rainbow flashes.

"Good lord!" cried Harry, "I am lost."

His mind raved backward into the past with the incredible swiftness of thought, and he began to comprehend his day's adventures, to conceive them as a whole and to recognize the sad imbroglio in which his own character and fortune had become involved.

He looked around him, as if for help, but he was alone in the garden, with his scattered diamonds and his redoubtable interlocutor; and when he gave ear, there was no sound but the rustle of the leaves and the hurried pulsation of his heart.

"I was lost!"

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

STATE ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

While money market conditions may not be such as to justify a big boom in the stock market, the banking section takes an optimistic view of the situation from a long view range.

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It should be understood that the present level at this time does not reflect conditions as they are now and as they are discounting everything that is likely to be unfavorable for some time to come, but reflects the bad things that have occurred in the past.

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The future may be looked forward to with confidence. The first quarter of 1911 productive capacity of the country will be ahead of its consumption as a rule factor, because there always is a large carry over part of other countries for what we have to sell. They cannot afford to wait.

$ $ $

Although the iron and steel interests of the United States are not operating at full if they sound out the sentiment of their products the needs of the country will come into play, and new orders for the manufacturers having faith in the near future, thereby making the 50% for the business. This can afford to wait.

$ $ $

It is understood around the Street that the stock of the Boston and Maine Railroad and Southern Pacific and have been in the hands of strong interests for some time in anticipation of a rise, and that control was quoted. Its name being mentioned in connection with the deal, it is certainly should be paid.

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Among favorable reports is one by a Troy expert, who announces an increase by the acreage of White Pine timber in the east, 1,350,000 acres above that of the last census. Certain it is that the yield in the Far West are not handling as much business as they all did a year ago, and whatever the Western Pacific and Union must come largely from the old systems.

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Reports on the 7,201 national banks show these institutions somewhat weaker in surplus and loans reduced since September, but total reserve has been reduced twice as much. Deposits have increased almost $1,000,000,000, but amount due from other banks has increased $500,000,000. These banks are the chief connection between these not two items. As compared with the middle of last year deposits have increased more than $3,000,000,000 and reserves $1,000,000, yet business was much better a year ago and the stock market was not subject to requiring many millions of loans in Wall Street. It may be that this is the explanation can be made for this great increase of loans, but the conservative man suggests itself is that these business in smaller the extra money must be tied up in deals specifically made for the stock and promotions that have not been liquidated.

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Intercontinental Rubber has declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent on the preferred, payable January 2 to stock of record December 20, and 1 per cent on the common, payable February 1 to stock of record January 20. Net earnings for the quarter ended October 31, 1910, were $1,100,000. Apparently the rubber company continues good and, notwithstanding the shrinking of the prices of rubber, the conditions of the trade for the company, generally, the contracts on which have been all already entered into for 1911 months at a price of 75 per cent. The output of this product is already sold for next year at approximately this year's prices.

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Consumption of copper in this country in 1910 is estimated at 7½ per cent increase over 1909, but 1909 consumption figures were only equal to those of 1906, as there was a decline of 15 per cent. in the interconsumption since 1906 of about 30 per cent. Great improvement in the copper situation, therefore, must come from increased consumption rather than from curtailment of production, which will not permit of an increase in the supply of consumptive requirements.

$ $ $

Reading's authentic coal holdings are of inestimable value and cannot be duplicated. They are the mainstay of the property and it also is the key to the near future the stockholders of the company will receive something for the use of their property. If this is what they are looking forward to, and that is why so many people are buying the common. The bears, however, sell it confidently.

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Lee, Higginson & Co. and Curtis & Sanger are offering Cumberland Ely Copper Mining Company ten-year, 5 per cent. gold notes, dated February 15, 1910, at 102 and accrued interest, the price to yield 4.90 per cent. The company has no mortgage ahead of this outstanding issue of $5,000,000. Present market value of capital stock is over six times the funded debt.

$ $ $

While it may be a trading market for a few weeks to come, the trend is more right in the direction of higher prices. We believed the trust companies will result in February or March in a considerable additional distribution; may make a good showing in the way of dividends. Their earning and holdings are large and an advance in prices may be looked for to present a better front.

$ $ $

Speculatively, the market appears to be under perfect control. The technical position has undoubtedly been strengthened by the recent liquidation and yet there is no encouragement to increase commitments on the upside. There is still a remarkable absence of public support.

BORED CROWD PUTS AN END TO BOUT

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 6.—Sailor Burke telegraphed prior to his scheduled ten-round bout with Kid Henry of Troy before the American A. C. here, that he had not recovered sufficiently from his beating Manuell gave him Friday to fight here. He offered to substitute Jeff Smith, but Kyle Whitney was finally matched by the Trojan. After seven rounds of slow and uninteresting fighting the bout was stopped by the referee by request of the spectators.

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STOCKS OPEN STRONG TODAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—Stocks opened strong and active in Wall street today with practically the entire general list quoting substantial gains. Toward the close in the first hour the Standard stocks were at the highest price touched in several weeks.

Lehigh Valley and Union Pacific were factors in the trading, the former moving up 1¾ and the latter 1¼ points. Reading, Erie, Third, Texas Pacific and Northern Pacific were also quoting substantial gains.

Steel was also strong and active. The supply of stock for sale was reported small, but on the other hand the theory seemed to be in no haste to cover. It was accordingly believed that the market was oversold. Amalgamated and American Smelting opened strong and active and moved up about ½ of a point each. Trading on the curb was active, with prices slightly higher. Americans were slightly higher in London.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices of the leading New York stocks to noon:

	Bid.	Low.	Noon
Atch. T. & S. F.	100½	100½	101⅜
Atch. T. & S. F. pfd	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝
Brooklyn Rap. T.	75⅝	75	75
Canadian Pac.	195	195	196
Ches. & Ohio	81	80¾	81
Chi. M. & St. P.	121⅛	121	121⅜
Denver & Rio G.	28⅝	27½	27½
Erie	27⅝	27⅜	27⅝
Erie 1st pf.	47⅝	47⅝	47⅝
Gt. Northern pf.	121⅝	121⅝	121⅝
Int. Metropoli.	5⅝	5¼	5⅜
Int. Met. pf.	53⅜	54	54
Kan. City So.	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Lehigh Valley	180	179	179½
Mo. Kan. & Tex.	30	30	30
Missouri Pacific	47⅜	46¾	47
N. Y. Central	111⅜	111	111⅜
N. Y. Ont. & W.	40⅝	40⅜	40⅝
Northern Pacific	119⅝	119	119⅝
Pennsylvania	128⅛	128	128⅛
Reading	146⅝	145⅞	146⅜
Rock Island	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Rock Island pf.	62	62	62
Southern Pac.	113⅝	113⅝	113⅝
Southern Ry.	28	28	28
Southern Ry. pfd	71	71	71
Union Pacific	169⅝	169⅝	169⅝
Union Pac. pfd	84	84	84
Wabash pfd	34⅜	34	34

INDUSTRIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS

Amal. Copper	64⅝	64⅜	64⅝
Am. Car & Fdy.	77	77	77
Am. Car & Fdy. pfd	109½	109½	109½
Am. Cotton Oil	37⅜	37	37
Am. Locomo.	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝
Am. Smelt. & R.	74⅝	74⅜	74⅝
Am. Sm. & R. pfd	122⅝	122	122
Am. Sugar	134⅝	134	134⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	151	151	151
Anaconda Mining	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
Brooklyn Rap. T.	75⅝	75	75
Colo. Fuel & Iron	105	105	105
Consol. Gas (N. Y.)	137½	137½	137½
Corn Products	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Distillers' Sec.	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
General Electric	150	150	150
Int. Harvester	113	113	113
Int. Paper	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Int. Paper pfd	73	73	73
Nat. Lead	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
Nevada Con.	19	19	19
Pacific Mail	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
People's Gas	113⅛	113⅛	113⅛
Pittsburg Coal	13½	13½	13½
Pittsburg Coal pfd	71⅝	71⅝	71⅝
Pressed Steel Car	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
Pullman Palace	190	190	190
Ry. Steel Spring	50½	50½	50½
Ry. Steel Spring pfd	88	88	88
Republic I. & S.	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝
Republic I. & S. pfd	96	96	96
Sloss-Sheffield	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝
Tenn. Copper	34⅝	33⅝	34⅛
U. S. Steel	74⅝	73⅝	74⅛
U. S. Steel pfd	116	116	116
U. S. Rubber	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	103½	103½	103½
Utah Copper	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
Va.-Car. Chem.	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
Va.-Car. Chem. pfd	102	102	102
Western Union	70⅝	70⅜	70⅝
Westinghouse El.	70⅝	70⅝	70⅝

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks to noon:

RAILROADS.

	Bid.	Low.	Noon
N. Y., N. H. & H.	151½	151½	151½

LAND COMPANIES.

East Boston	8	8	8

TELEPHONES.

American	140⅞	140	140⅝
New England	138⅝	138⅜	138⅝

MINING STOCKS.

Adventure	65	64⅝	64⅝
Arizona Commercial	14	14	14
Bingham	42½	42	42
Granby	38	37⅜	38
Greene-Cananea	47	46½	46⅝
Nevada Con.	19	19	19
Shannon	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
Utah Con.	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Utah Copper	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝
United Fruit	130	130	130
Un. Shoe Mach.	55½	55½	55½

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Am. Zinc	26	26	26
Lake Copper	32⅜	32⅛	32⅜
Mass. Gas	102	102	102
U. S. Smelt	32	31⅝	31⅝
U. S. Smelt pf.	46	46	46
Balakhlna	7⅛	7	7⅛
East Butte	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝
Ely Consolidated	85⅝	85⅝	85⅝
Ely Cons.	19	19	19
Northern Ariz.	24	23	23
Superior Boston	6¼	6¼	6¼

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Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Curb stocks:

QUALIFIED LIST.

Stocks.	High.	Low.
Bay State Gas	36⅜	37⅛
Boston Ely	1 1-16	2⅞
Cobalt	2¼	2⅜
Chino	22⅝	22⅝
Chino Cop.	22⅝	22⅝
Davis-Daly	1⅛	1⅛
Davis-Daly pf.	4⅝	4⅝
First National	2	1 15-16
La Rose	4 9-16	4 5-16
Majestic	3⅞	3⅝
National Metals	2⅝	2⅜
Nev. Douglas	2⅝	2⅜
Nev. Utah	3⅛	3⅛
N. I. Con.	7⅛	7⅛
Ohio	45⅝	45⅝
Ohio Copper	2 1-16	2
South Lake	6¼	6¼
Tonopah	8⅛	8⅛
Trethaway	4 15-16	4 15-16
United Verde Ex.	2⅛	2⅛

UNQUALIFIED LIST.

Ariz. Commer.	3 13-16	3 13-16	3 13-16
Arizona	5 11-16	5 11-16	5 11-16
Cactus Copper	26⅝	26	26⅛
Chemung	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Corbin	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
Inter. Bet. Ring	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
New Baltic	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Onondaga	2 1-16	2	2
Seneca Copper	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Rashlaks Mining	7⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Santa Maria	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Silver-Leaf Cobalt	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝

JENNINGS MUM AS TO DATE OF WEDDING

DETROIT, Dec. 6.—Manager Jennings of the Detroit Tigers asked us to the date of his marriage, narrowed it down to the second week in the new year, but that was as far as he would go. He desired to wed in October and take a honeymoon trip to Europe, but his fiancee, Miss Marguerite O'Boyle of Syracuse, N. Y., would not agree. Jennings left for Scranton today, where he will resume his law practice for the Winter.

HALLIGAN HEAD COACH AT LOUISIANA STATE

BATON ROUGE, La., Dec. 6.—Another upheaval in athletic circles at Louisiana State University has taken place with announcement that J. E. Halligan of Massachusetts Agricultural College will succeed Coach Mayhew of Brown University and All-American halfback, as head football coach. Mayhew will here after assist in the coaching. J. A. Thomas was elected captain.

SCHOOL EXPERT TO TALK.

The High School of Commerce will have Assistant Superintendent of Schools Augustine L. Jaffer at its regular Wednesday series of talks to-morrow evening. The subject of the talk will be "The School Department."

MEN OF AFFAIRS IN STATE STREET

CHARLES HAYDEN—6.

CHAS. HAYDEN

Colonel Charles Hayden, who founded Hayden, Stone & Co. in 1892, and is generally a power in finance. His career has been meteoric. He was born in Boston July 9, 1858, and graduated from Technology in 1880. He is unmarried, lives at the Somerset, and lunches at Exchange Club. Participates but modestly in outside affairs.

Owner of steam yacht Wacondah. Prefers to travel in Pullman and Eastern, with Massachusetts Yacht Club cruises. Friendship with the Heinzes, Empress and Guggenheims. Member First Corps Cadets, and Second Brigade; aide to Governors Bates and Greenhalge. Colonel M. V. M. Staffs of Steplechasers (former name of Mounted Service); vice-chairman of the Board of Racing Stewards of Brookline County Club; 1905 captain of the National Steeplechasers and Hunt Association, which controls steeplechasing in United States. Governing of Massachusetts Automobile Club.

$1,000,000 COST TO FOUR-TRACK LYNN

Quick work in the abolition by the Boston & Maine Railroad of its grade crossings in Lynn and four-tracking its lines through that city will cause the removal or razing of manufactories and dwellings, valued at $1,000,000, and the temporary throwing out of employment of almost one-quarter of the operatives involved.

Among the buildings which will have to be removed, some within sixty days and all within three months, are the old Item building, a three-story brick building; the J. R. Beaton factory, where Charles L. Harwood employs 800 hands; the Elder Building, occupied by shoe manufacturing concerns, and the Swift Packing Company's new refrigerating building, which cost $100,000 to erect three years ago.

NEAR COLLISION WITH SUNKEN WRECK

The British ship "Indra" closed the most eventful voyage of her career when, coming from Chinese, Japanese and Philippine ports, she docked at Long Wharf, South Boston. The culmination of all the unusual experiences of this trip came to her on Sunday, 1,050 miles out of Boston Light, she narrowly escaped collision with a sunken wreck. During her passage from the Indian Ocean she was for seven days in the grip of the typhoon season and had to lay up at a Chinese port by repairs. While at Hangkow, China, Captain Kellway of the "Indra" was dangerously sick with Asiatic cholera, and, besides these, there were many minor events of unusual character. The "Indra" brought to this port the largest cargo of tea ever shipped here. There were 2,000,000 pounds, making 200,500 tons, a quantity over twenty times as much as featured in the famous Boston Tea Party. Her total cargo was valued at $1,200,000.

BLAME FLUES FOR FATAL WINTHROP FIRE

Deputy Chief George C. Neal of the Massachusetts District Police, has filed the report of his investigation of the fire in Young's Hotel, at Winthrop, on the morning of November 25, with Deputy Inspector Whitney. The report states that, in the opinion of the deputy, the fire was caused by a defective chimney or defective pipe connections with the chimney. The full report Chief Whitney has added a statement that "so far as the building inspection of the hotel was concerned, it was inspected, and all the orders issued were complied with in every important particular, and the exits were ample for said Young's Hotel as required by law."

WOMAN FINED FOR STEALING MONEY

Miss Mary Hevey, who says she is twenty-five years old and that her home is in Montpelier, Vt., paid a fine of $100 yesterday in the Municipal Court by Judge Parmenter after he found her guilty of stealing $41 in money and goods valued at $9 from Miss Catherine Doyle of No. 2 Union Park. The police charged Miss Hevey with breaking and entering, but it was held that that charge was not tenable, as the prisoner lived in the same house as Miss Doyle and entered a room which was not locked to take the money and articles.

NEWBURYPORT HAS A MURDER MYSTERY

NEWBURYPORT, Dec. 6.—In the belief that Cornelius Leary, owner of a bottling establishment here, was robbed, murdered and thrown into the river on the night of November 23, the police have been dragging the Merrimac River for the body without result. Leary had considerable money when he left home to go to a baker shop on the night before Thanksgiving. He has not been seen since.

JEWISH JUNIORS DANCE.

The Boston Council of Jewish Juniors held its opening dance of the season last evening at Allen Gymnasium Hall, corner St. Botolph and Huntington streets, Back Bay, last evening. The proceeds of the series of dances planned for the coming Winter will be used for benevolent purposes.

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TALK ON "NEW THOUGHT."

Mrs. Caroline E. C. Norris will speak tomorrow evening at the Metaphysical Club "Social Service" on "Practical New Thought." The meeting will be enlivened by music, and after Mrs. Norris has talked there will be free discussion.

FORBES-ROBERTSON DRAMATIC HIT OF SEASON

An impression of the new Jerome comedy.

J. FORBES-ROBERTSON

PHYLLIS RELPH

By NICHOLAS YOUNG.

The majority of playgoers—even the deep thinkers with the high foreheads—prefer to take their sermons on Sunday morning. Experience has given ample proof that the drama with the profound moral back of it moves over rough roads in these material little days of night cafes and tariff reform.

Yet the production of "The Third Floor Back" at the Shubert Theatre last evening went straight across the footlights into the hearts of everybody here and thereafter, for a high trail of spiritual atmosphere that was soon wondrous and sweet. It was, indeed, the most agreeable sermon of the year—convincing and amusing, and leaving no bitterness.

It is impossible to sit through this symbolical play by Jerome K. Jerome without feeling its great truth. It paged a merry time upon the most common of human weakness and left me dangling the guilty wretches—myself among the rest—in the simple knowledge that the playwright had found us out. Yet there was no sting—no bitterness. Just delicate comedy that was really amusing and delightful.

The London production of the piece was compared favorably even balance.

The Star Is Convincing.

Probably no actor on the English speaking stage is equipped with the dramatic power of Forbes-Robertson. His naturalness and his marking of the parts that he like Passerby with something more than merely good acting, has easily moved his audience, apparently, into an absolute belief of the principles of charity and truth that were passing on the stage.

Her was also the possessor of wonderful voice—it was a delight to hear.

Mr. Forbes-Robertson found himself in strange company when he stepped into Mr. Shape's boarding house. It was not that the boarders were such a bad lot, but rather that their view of life was not clear. Everything was false, from Mrs. Kite's peculiar curls to the diluted cream on Mrs. Shape's table.

"Will you have a piece of cake, or have you had some," was the landlady's motto in the dining room.

The lodging house was headquarters for neighborhood gossip and the list of those and wounded and horribly maimed at each session included everything and everybody in the directory.

Into this turbulent community came the passer-by with fixed views on reform and uplift that turned Mrs. Shape's house into a home of astounding righteousness. The good work began at the table, when Mrs. Shape—to use the pet say—it "dished" splendidly without the aid of a single "situation." It was dialogue from the start to finish and continued on that hopeful tone, too, that added to the general cheerfulness of the surroundings.

Delighted the Audience.

Mr. Forbes-Robertson affected the reformation of Mrs. Shape's household to the constant delight of last evening's audience. At no time was the play say—it failed splendidly without the aid of a single "situation." It was dialogue from the start to finish and continued on that hopeful tone, too, that added to the general cheerfulness of the surroundings.

The scene from "Der Geiegie Ritter" by Rachmaninoff was again impressive, and "L'Enfant Prodigue" of Debussy was interesting as a novelty.

GOODLY SHOWING OF FASHIONABLES IN OPERA BOXES

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

The brilliant scenes of the preceding Monday night of the opera season were by no means repeated last night, for while there was a goodly showing of the fashionables in many instances the house were seen over to others.

The most interesting box in the lower tier was that of the Eben S. Draper, which has been unoccupied during the past fortnight owing to the absence of the family in the South and Europe. They returned late host night and created a pleasant little stir as they entered their box as many of their friends had not known of their return to town. Mrs. Draper was looking especially well in black velvet and diamonds while Miss Dorothy was radiant in chanticleer velvet trimmed with bands of sable, with a bandeau of chanticleer velvet circling her dark hair. Her gown made a brilliant note of color among the pastel shades of the surrounding creations and made all the rest of the gowns look dull by comparison. During the intermission she was surrounded on all sides while promenading through the foyer and was kept busy acknowledging the many welcomes of greetings.

That dainty little matron who looks so much like a schoolgirl, Mrs. Osborne Howes was winsome in her trained gown of white satin with plaitings of black velvet.

Mrs. Henry Wells was stunning in yellow satin and chiffon with plaitings of black satin.

Mrs. Wirt Dexter, in her modish and becoming gown of dark green chiffon, studded with gold, and a necklace and tiara of diamonds, was the guest of honor.

Mrs. Stanley McCormick, who is among the few early arrivals, was accompanied by a becoming gown of deepest rose chiffon draped with a bodice of silvered net.

Only a mauve orchid relieved the black velvet gown worn by Mrs. R. Huntington Wolcott and that much-discussed young matron has evidently, indeed, been charming. With her was Mrs. David Cheever, also in black.

Undoubtedly the best dressed woman in the parade and the handsomest of the evening was Mrs. Elliott D. Jordan, who, as usual, entertained several guests in her box. Her gown was of white satin veiled in black lace with deep plaitings of black velvet edged with sable. Miss Dorothy Jordan was charming and gracious, as usual, and especially pretty in her gown of lavender chiffon and satin with many orchids on the corsage.

Mrs. Nesop Hamlin also appeared to advantage in a gown of pale blue velvet and diamonds.

The Gibson girls, the Misses Ethel and Rosamond, were among the members of the youngest set coming in for particular attention. Miss Ethel in a becoming gown of pale blue satin and Miss Rosamond in pink.

Mrs. Harry Lewis wore black lace and diamonds. Mrs. M. J. Church, white satin and Mrs. Harriet Church, white cloth embroidered in gold.

Mrs. Charles H. Bond was in white embroidered satin and Mrs. A. F. Pierce in old rose satin and pearls.

Mrs. Potter Very Handsome.

Most handsome dark-eyed matron, Mrs. H. Staples Potter, wore a vastly becoming gown of pale gray satin veiled in gray net and a filet of brilliants around her neck.

Mrs. Chandler Hovey was in deep rose satin. Mrs. Henry Russell in black satin with a large blue bow on the corsage and white satin and chiffon.

That dainty little matron, Mrs. Nat Wright, was in Copenhagen blue satin and violets.

Mrs. S. Reed Anthony was in black satin, the skirt of which opened over white spangled net, while her pretty daughter Ruth, was in blue velvet trimmed with bands of cut steel.

Miss May Fay was in flowered satin with a large blue bow on the train and was among the few who ventured into the foyer during the entr'acte among the first intermission. Her sister, Dorothy, was with her and was becomingly gowned in pale pink chiffon.

Mrs. Lars Anderson had several guests in her box and was charming in pale pink satin and diamonds.

Mrs. William Morris was in black velvet and Miss Leslie Bradley, who looks lovelier than ever since her recent trip abroad, was in a simple though distinctly smart gown of white satin.

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TRIPLE OPERA BILL REPEATED

The great success of the triple opera bill last Friday night caused the management to repeat it for the edification of the Monday night subscribers at the Opera House. There was a very large audience present, and the various singers were all well received. The performance of Caralleria Rusticana, with Carmen Melis and John McCormack as chief singers, was a stirring and passionate one. The Irish tenor created as favorable an impression upon the Monday night subscribers as he had on Friday evening.

The scene from "Der Geiegie Ritter" by Rachmaninoff was again impressive, and "L'Enfant Prodigue" of Debussy was interesting as a novelty.

"PASSING OF THE THIRD FLOOR BACK" DELIGHTS AUDIENCE AT THE SHUBERT.

Of the company, Miss Molly Pearson, as the maid; Miss Hubler Wright, as the peroxide young woman, and Miss Lena Dedrickine, as the landlady, were perhaps the understood.

"The Passing of the Third Floor Back" carried a message of charity and helpfulness that made it quite convincing than any sermon and twice as interesting. Through Mr. Forbes-Robertson has earned the gratitude of every right-minded playgoer.

Keith's.

Odiva, in ultra sensational swimming and diving feats, is the headliner by popular approval at B. F. Keith's Theatre this week. Her graceful water feats in plain view of the audience seem to indicate that she is as much in her element above water as she is below. Her good-looking assistant is also a feature of the act. Another interesting feature on the program is furnished by Julia Proctor Otis, assisted by Louis Harrison, in high comedy sketches and by a most pleasing sketch. E. F. Reynard in feats of ventriloquism that are new to the vaudeville monologue, the two Cohens and Farr, in a black face act, and Cameron and Flynn, known as "Musical Pulands" are all good. Clara Ballerini, in a repertoire of operatic and Carl Randall in eccentric dancing, and the three Pendelton Sisters in a singing and dancing sketch round out the well balanced program.

Columbia Theatre.

"The Moulin Rouge" burlesquers dropped in at the Columbia Theatre yesterday with one of the brightest entertainments of the season. Many changes and additions have proved his claim to the title, was in the center of all the fun.

Gaiety Theatre.

Two lively burlettas and a long vaudeville olio were dispensed attractive at the Gaiety Theatre yesterday. "The Daisy Duchess" Company began its week's work. Good pictures rounded out and was on the spot in every laughable situation.

Waldron's Theatre.

There was much that was new and much more that was entertaining on Ted Irwin's "Majestics," that the afternoon at the Casino Theatre yesterday was exceedingly profitable. It was old burlesque, brightened with a liberal sprinkling of catchy vaudeville.

Castle Square Theatre.

John Craig, who always does unusual things, entered upon "Twelfth Night" at the Castle Square Theatre yesterday, and no one in the audience would have suspected for a minute that the excellent company had not been playing the comedy for weeks instead of only during the afternoon. "Twelfth Night," one of Shakespeare's lighting comedies, was in good hands, with Mr. Craig as Malvolio and Mary Young as Viola. Mr. Craig played the unhappy, wretched Malvolio with a full understanding of the possibilities of the role, and Miss Young was never out of the picture as Viola. The play was superbly mounted in every detail.

Tremont Theatre.

"The Spring Maid," with Christie McDonald, made its appearance at the Tremont Theatre last evening. It will be reviewed in Wednesday's AMERICAN.

Plays That Hold Over.

Blanche Ring and "The Yankee Girl" began a new week at the Majestic Theatre last evening. The play is tuneful.

The seventh week of "Seven Days" began at the Park Theatre last evening, with a cleverly audience enjoying its droll antics.

Francis Wilson continues his merry labor of the Hollis Street Theatre in the "Bachelor's Baby."

Montgomery and Stone entered upon a new week at the Colonial Theatre last evening in "The Old Town."

Another promising week for "Katie Did" was begun at the Boston Theatre last evening. The entertainment is diverting.

Grand Opera House.

A Wendell Phillips was seen in the difficult role of puritan hero at the Grand Opera House last evening, and it is only fair to say that he made good to the satisfaction of his audience in both branches of his art. The comedy and the "Face" was a play of the Far West and concerned the gold mine rights of a cattle ranch. Of course there were thrills—the evening was not complete without them. A pretty love story was woven into the play.

Howard Athenaeum.

Daisy Harcourt, who is no stranger to audiences at the old Howard, returned to that house yesterday and made the most of the time given her on the excellent programme. Miss Harcourt runs a style of comedy that is distinctly her own and it is always welcome to her audiences. Miss Harcourt's "Americans," a live burlesque company, also provided some spirited entertainment.

Globe Theatre.

A new policy of high-class vaudeville and moving pictures went into effect at the Globe Theatre yesterday. The initial programme was made up of novelties that were agreeable to the audiences and will improve a week of prosperity.

Bowdoin Square Theatre.

Gibson's Dandy Dixie Company figured as the chief attraction in the new programme at the rowdoin Square Theatre yesterday, and there were other vaudeville features and pictures.

Orpheum Theatre.

An unusually attractive entertainment was provided at the Orpheum Theatre yesterday, and Harry Thompson, in a new comedy sketch, headed the bill. The entire programme of vaudeville and moving pictures was timely and pleasing.

Scenic Temple.

A new programme of pictures and vaudeville was presented at the Scenic Temple yesterday, and Lenna Howes' soprano voice was heard in incidental musical selections.

Hub Theatre.

Rogers, Fountaine and Moore headed the new programme at the Hub Theatre yesterday. Other novelties and a new list of motion pictures completed the bill.

Theatres.

At the OLD HOWARD This Week

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Everything will be "fine and Daisy" at the old Howard fun-shop this week, where Daisy Harcourt, the English rose, will be on hand for another killing with her snappy ability songs. Miss Harcourt has all of the variety she learned from the start, so brush in before tars are sold out.

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Friday, Dec. 9, at 8, IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA. Mme. Italian Bosconi, Mme. Lipkowska, Lerroux, Mr. Constantino, Scheidl, Mr. Scotti, Conductor Campanini.

Saturday Aft., Dec. 10, at 2, LA BOHEME. Mme. Melba, Mme. Lipkowska, Dereyne, Mr. Constantino, Pasquali, Mr. Reddy, Strasser, Conductor Reddy, Strasser, Conductor Cond. Goodrich.

Saturday Evening, Dec. 10, at 8, at Popular Prices, from 50c. to $2.00, LA TRAVIATA. Mme. Melba, Mr. Verdi, Mary Ranpold (debut), G. Fisher, Clausen, Mr. Arden, Lucchi, Vivani, Giacone. Conductor Campanini.

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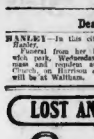
LOST AND FOUND



Unfortunately lost articles are not so obliging as Little Bo-Peep's sheep, who came home of their own accord. A missing watch, bracelet, locket, pocketbook, etc., must be dealt with drastically. Quick action must be taken, as the people who find things do not dawdle on reading

"Lost and Found" advertisements or otherwise looking for owners. Advertise your loss in the AMERICAN the minute you discover it, and you'll be surprised how quick the loss will be returned to you.

LOST—Lady's small gold Locwood watch, Saturday, 3:30 p. m., between Dudley and Dale sts., Roxbury. $25 reward for safe return. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 1078 COLUMBUS AV., Roxbury.

LOST—A pearl stud, brown, between Shubert Theatre and Dalton Hill. Reader finding will especially valued as a souvenir. Suitable reward returned to Chesterfield st.

LOST—Gown pin, set with pearls, between Boylston st. and Public Garden and Hotel Bellevue, Sunday, 11 and 3 p. m.; reward. Mrs. HAYES, 127 South st., Roxbury.

LOST—Nov. 30, 1910, lady's watch, Waltham case No. 20,—, with fob attached, gentleman's initials "M. S." and "M. H." on back. Liberal reward.

LOST—In Washington, Boylston or Tremont sts., black ladies' pocketbook containing letter with name and address and watch with initials "M. H." Address 6 Otis st., Boston. Reward.

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We Used to Talk About British Gold Over Here

Now They Are Talking About "American Dollars" in England

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An interesting election fight has been keeping human beings excited in England. It is the old story of elections everywhere.

Those that possess the power, the land, the money, and that have their heels fixed comfortably on the necks of the others, want to keep what they have—quite naturally.

Lloyd George, the brains and energy of his party, represents those that want to get up and have a chance, those that are asking the rich men and land owners to get off their backs.

It is a savage election, and the English Tories, whose minds were never very brilliant or original, except in spots, have dug up once more the story about American dollars. They say that American dollars are playing a grand part in this election—in other words, that American dollars are in some mysterious way being used to keep the poor Tories from holding on to what they have.

That sounds quite funny over here, where we know perfectly well that American dollars, if they took any part in the quarrel, would be interested in England, as they are in America—**IN KEEPING WEALTH AND POWER IN THE HANDS OF A FEW AND KEEPING TAXES ON THE BACKS OF THE MANY.**

Lloyd George, who is the best speaker in public life to-day, with the possible exception of Jaures, and who is actually a thorough-going Democrat, accompanying his words by the deeds that compel the rich to do their share, had no difficulty in replying to the talk about American dollars:

Said he:

"Since when has the British aristocracy started despising dollars? "Many noble houses' tottering foundations have been restored by American dollars. Within twenty years eighty millions of dollars have been paid by the children of Irish peasants across the sea in cruel rack rents to aristocratic Irish landlords."

That was quite a sufficient answer to the talk about American dollars, and a true answer.

It is perfectly true that the noble houses of England come over here to get themselves regilded occasionally. And the shameful rack rents, extorted by the absentee Irish landlords, have been paid to the tune of EIGHTY MILLIONS of dollars within twenty years by Irish working girls and working men that have come to this country, and sent back the money to their fathers and mothers.

They are moving rapidly in England—actually taking seriously the idea of equality among men, and of the responsibility of wealth and power, which we are beginning to look upon over here as amusing jokes.

In England they provide for the old and feeble—they don't treat an old, worn-out man as some cruel creatures treat a worn-out horse. In the United States we treat a horse considerably better than a man when he gets old and feeble. We give prizes and parades for old workhorses. We don't have any old workmen's parades.

The land laws in Ireland, forced upon England by the incessant combat of determined Irishmen, are extraordinary in the rights that they grant to the people. The man who works a farm over there can buy it if he wants to—AND AT A FAIR PRICE. He has only to notify the landlord that he wants to buy, and the landlord MUST SELL. And the Government of Great Britain actually lends to the farmer the money with which to buy his farm. That would make some of our American land owners stare indeed.

Another proof of the rapid changes going on in England is the statement just made by Lord Rosebery, a man of very great ability and power, that the House of Lords is dead, that it has "surrendered its power to the nation."

Thus things move along in this world. First, the fighting man ruled with his club everywhere. Then came a little civilization, and with it religions of different kinds—savage, idolatrous, primitive. The man of comparative education ruled the fighter through the fighter's superstitious fears, and for a long period there was a government by pagan priests, who scared the living man by threats about what would happen when he was dead.

Then came the King, who made the priests of the idols his assistants, ruling with them and the nobility for the benefit of both.

Later, the nobility becoming powerful, ruled here and there, disregarding the King.

And finally the system settled down into a very nice arrangement, with a King at the top getting all he needed, and the nobility and the clergy working with him, and getting all THEY needed, and all of them living comfortably on the people. Now that is changing

And a better religion and a better church has done much to bring about the change since the old pagan days.

Not so long ago, before Cromwell began the work of making kings ridiculous, England was ruled by a King and by the House of Lords that is now dying. The House of Commons was a humble body, that usually got down on its knees when it saw the King. It could ask for what it wanted, but it usually didn't GET it, and it had to take what it got and pretended to be grateful.

Little by little, as the House of Commons—meaning the common people—began to get rich, and as the King and his nobles began to get poor through extravagance, the Commons got more and more power. They got the right to decide how the money should be spent—the King and the nobles couldn't get it unless the Commons voted it. And now the House of Commons is the entire government, the King is a sort of a national vermiform appendix—the whole nation feels sad when he suffers—and the House of Lords, that once had all the power not vested in the King, has practically in the words of Lord Rosebery "ceased to exist."

It is comforting for those who believe that human intelligence, and not violence, should solve our problems, to realize what great changes in England have occurred practically without revolution, riot or war between brothers.

Since Cromwell solved an important problem by relieving Charles the First of his responsibility, Englishmen have confined their fighting to people outside of England.

Those that had ridiculous pretensions have been giving them up of their own accord without waiting to have them taken away from them. In the British House of Lords there are two princes of royal blood, two archbishops, twenty-two dukes, twenty-three marquises, one hundred and twenty-three earls, forty viscounts, twenty-four bishops, three hundred and twenty-four barons and sixteen representative peers from Scotland. What a fine fight these privileged individuals would have put up some centuries ago.

But now they are all in the humble frame of mind of that historical American coon. They say to the House of Commons: "Don't shoot; we'll come down."

They allow themselves to be snuffed out of power quite humbly. They know it is better to GO out than be kicked out.

Other nations look upon the English situation and realize that it is possible to do the most radical things, righting ancient wrongs, improving the condition of the people **WITHOUT VIOLENCE OR REVOLUTION OR A DEGRADING REVERSION TO OLD SAVAGE COMBAT.**

An Honest Man

By F. OPPER

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Little Bobbie

He Writes About His Pa's Stories

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

I WAS watching a man cleen a window this afternoon, sed Pa, & it was a wonderful site. That is why I have this pain in the neck. The man was up on the seventh floor, & he dident seem to care wether he was going to fall or not. Maybe he was jest naturally reckless sed Pa, or maybe he was a married man.

You seem to be peculiarly fashenabs tonite, sed Ma, & why you are still the bleu of my dreems I wud like to know why it is that you spent all yure valuable time standing in front of a offis window & watching a man cleening a window. I thought you was goin to go down to see yure broker, so that you cud protect yureself on that Mining Oregon Stock wich you bought from yure mining freind in the West. How do yure margins stand tonite?

I will tell you, sed Pa. You see I was so fassinated in watching the wonderful nerve of that window cleaner that I forgot to go down to the offis of my broker, & by the time I got to the nearest ticker I found out that my Mining Minnesota stock had went to smash. It was a hard blow to me, Pa sed, but I bore it like a man.

You don't look as if you bore it like a man, sed Ma. You seem to be kind of downcast, & by the way, Ma sed, I thought that you called it Mining Oregon stock the first time you spoke to me about it. The next time that you mensbuned it, you called it Minnesota stock. I wuddent be surprised, Ma sed, if we wud be whizzing thru Wisconsin in a minnit. How is everything in Michigan? Ma sed.

Maybe you think you are kidding me, sed Pa, but you can't talk my mind away from what I was telling you about that noble hero that was washing windows up on the seventh story. If you think I am all the time nibbing, sed Pa, all you have to do is to get on yure coat & go right down town with me and I will show you the bilding & the exack spot ware I was standing. Goodnight, now, sed Pa. I am going to the fethers, otherwise known as the hay.

Then Pa went to bed & beegan for to snoar & we dident see him any moor until this morning. This morning he got up & calm to the brekfus table. He looked kind of pale. His hand shook wen he was drinking his coffee. Go to it, kid, sed Ma to Pa, all you have to bent is two pairs, shake them out. How is yure Pennsylvany Coal stock that you forgot to cover with moar margins?

I dident say it was Pennsylvany Coal stock, sed Pa, what in the wurld are you talking about? I sed it was North of Ireland Peat. I wish you wuddent contradick me all the time.

Now, see here, sed Ma, I luv you & littel Bobbie luvs you. All I want to know is one (1) thing, why do you make the terriblest mistake of falsifying & saying that you bought Iowa Wheat?

It wasen't what I sed, Pa told Ma. Why is it that a married woman will the time fergits what her husband togld the nite beefore. You know as well as I know that you are setting at this brekfus table that I told you it was a man cleening a window that kept me from keeping that lunch engagement. I exhibent meet you.

Bobbie, sed Ma, do you hear that? Yure father toald us last night that while watching a man cleening a window he was late for dinner. Now he says it was lunch. Wen you git married I hoop you wont lie to yure wife, Ma sed.

I dont think I am ever going to get married.

Nothing is more silly than the pleasure some people take in "speaking their minds."—Steele.

She Couldn't Sing

By KENNETT HARRIS

SHE told us that she couldn't sing.
She really, truly, couldn't sing;
It seemed a very funny thing.
But still we kept right at her
She said that she forgot to bring
Her music—and she couldn't sing;
No, honestly she couldn't sing.
Indeed she couldn't, drat her

She pleaded that she had a cold.
An awful cold, a dreadful cold.
But that excuse was stale and old.
And so we'd not admit it.

We found out later that she told
The truth—she really had a cold.
A husky, cracky, nasal cold.
She'd just exactly hit it.

So it was good enough for us.
Yes, plenty good enough for us;
We had no right to make a fuss
Or say things that would grieve her.
We had not right to growl or cuss;
She'd done the best she could for us,
And that was plenty good for us;
Next time, though we'll believe her.

Rhymo, the Monk!

By GUS MAGER

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The Hallroom Boys

They're Making Dents in Their $3,000 Roll

By H. A. MacGILL

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